THE DAILY MEMPHIS AVALANCHE.

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THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

The Newcombs are playing at Nashville.

John Mullaly lectured Friday night at New Orleans.

Fifty Ku-Kluxers were seen in West Nashville Thursday night—"nobody hurt."

W. W. Thatcher is nominated assessor for the Eighth District of Tennessee.

Jefferson Davis left New Orleans on Thursday for Baltimore.

Belle Plain, Iowa, has gone Democratic for the first time since its organization.

The Artemus Ward monument is to be placed in Central Park.

Poor Grant is going to have another history of his life written, by Rev. J. S. C. Abott.

Tulips are the fashionable flowers for spring millinery this year.

Hancock's departure from New Orleans is conceded to be probable. Weitzel is named as his successor.

The nex tax bill proposes to raise $155,000,000, and about one-third of it from distilled spirits.

It is believed the decision of the McCardle case will be only partial; only declaring the military commission unconstitutional.

Hon. O. H. Browning takes charge of the Attorney General's office temporarily. The vacancy will not be filled at present.

A man in Baker county, Georgia, while trying to cut down a tree that was on fire, was killed by a limb falling on his head.

General Basil W. Duke has recently been appointed one of the inspectors of tobacco at Louisville.

Mrs. Swann, living near Knoxville, was fatally burned on Tuesday, by her clothes taking fire from the stove.

A den of negro thieves, whose rendezvous for a long time has been on the Dunbar place, near Natchez, was broken up this week.

Colonel Cooper is still acting Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, though rejected by the Senate a month.

A male *modiste* has been employed to fit the fair patrons of a fashionable millinery establishment in Louisville.

Rev. Dr. Bissel, who was elected Bishop of Vermont, Wednesday, by the Episcopal Convention at Burlington.

Forney says that he "feels like telling the truth." But Forney wouldn't, on such an occasion, give way to his feelings for the world.

Mrs. Elizabeth Darragh has been appointed Inspector of tobacco, snuff and cigars in the Fourth district of Indiana, and successor to her late husband.

It is estimated that fully one thousand persons in New Albany have united with the different churches since the first of January last.

A Chattanooga gentleman, named Lennox, has discovered large masses of mineral, which he supposes to be silver, near Lookout Mountain, Tennessee.

A fearful tragedy occurred at Havana, Cuba, Wednesday. A man, name unknown, attempted to murder his wife, but failed. He then killed one of his companions, and committed suicide.

The resolution instructing the delegates to the Chicago Convention to vote as a unit for Grant and Curtin, passed the Pennsylvania Republican Convention before adjournment, by a vote of 69 to 40.

Major S. Paul, former editor of the Mobile *Times*, has been sued for libel by one Horton, Military Mayor and carpet bag on legs. Having no character except that of a thief, he will be satisfied with a few bags of ducats.

Last Monday a horrible outrage was committed by a buck negro on the person of Mrs. Robert Rodgers, four miles north-east of Concord, East Tennessee. The fiend is in jail at Knoxville.

The common carrier bill was amended in the Senate Thursday by allowing negroes either first or second class tickets, as they may choose. This places sleeping cars at the mercy of Sambo and Dinah.

In the neighborhood of Atlanta on Tuesday a negro named Henry Brown committed an outrage on Emily Ledbetter, an accomplished young lady of eighteen. The wretch dragged his victim into a ditch, and in the presence of another girl accomplished the foul deed. He was subsequently arrested and put in jail.

Forty convicts were released from the penitentiary Friday by order of Governor Brownlow. Six of them had recently been incarcerated for murder, two of the latter being Harris and Martin, a pair of Radicals who committed cold blooded murder on an ex-Confederate, at Ashland City, about four months ago.

General Hancock has ordered the election upon the Constitution for the 17th and 18th of April, the days fixed by the Convention. The election of State officers at the same time is left to the intervening action of Congress. Fourteen days prior to the election the registry rolls will be open for revision. The order is a very lengthy one.

A Richmond correspondent mentions, as a sign of progress in Virginia, that nobody was amazed in the Convention, the other day, when a very black member called a page to him, and sent to one of the leading white members for "a chaw of tobakker," which was courteously sent in the form of a ten cent plug. Black gentleman bit off a big quid, and sent the remainder back.

The Spring Meeting of the Nashville Blood Horse Association, as will be seen by the advertisement, commences on Wednesday, May 6, and continues four days. For each day two races are announced. There are enough horses in Tennessee alone to make the Nashville Spring meeting a success. We also advertise the Young America Stake, for two year olds in 1868, dash of one mile, twenty or more to make a race; to be run at the Fall Meeting. Already there are twelve entries to the Stake, and new nominations are made almost every day.

HIS LORD SHIPSHIP.

He Cutteth a Splurge in St. Paul.

He Ultimately Turneth Out to be a Massachusetts Yankee.

And is Arrested for Theft in Canada.

From the St. Paul Pioneer, March 4.)

It has often occurred to us that there is no community so easily imposed on as St. Paul. We have a set here peculiarly susceptible to being gulled by gilded pretenders. They rather like it, indeed. If nine men of paste do come along, why, the tenth may be a real diamond, and it wouldn't do to miss him, you know.

Within the last dozen years there have been as many pretended "lords" who came to this city, flourished around extensively, and often imposing on people pretty boldly, left a few badly fooled victims behind. But no amount of experience can teach some people wisdom. The "velvet coated man" hoaxed them badly, and there have been a dozen more just like him, and a dozen more are sure to come, and will succeed as well as the others, doubtless.

The best and most notable is that of "my lord Philbrick," an individual who flourished here about a year ago.

Where he came from nobody knew. He brought no credential, no letters of introduction—nothing, only himself and lots of money. He gave out his name as Lord P. H. Philbrick, of England, traveling "strange countries for to see," and having plenty of greenbacks.

He was not long in collecting a retinue of retainers, who toadied him in the most approved style. He sported his assumed character cleverly enough, it must be confessed. Dressed well, put on foreign "Ah, dem' me" airs to perfection, spent his greenbacks with a liberal hand, and was a nabob of the first water in every sense. So nicely did he play his cards that he soon got the run of fashionable circles here, and we are afraid that some of our sensible St. Paul Belles used to wonder how their names would sound when called "My Lady Philbrick."

The opening of the Opera House on Feb. 22, of last year brought my lord Philbrick prominently before the public. It was given out that Lord P., an English nobleman of unbounded estates, with an income of $1,000 per day was determined to buy the first ticket auctioned off, if it cost him an entire day's income. This rather discouraged our St. Paul gents, some of whom had heavy purses, and might have bid several hundred dollars, perhaps, and so they on and all backed off the track, and gave milord with a grand income a clear field, so that he bid off the first ticket for the paltry sum of $75.

Philbrick maintained his assumed character some time nicely. Indeed, no one here ever found out the imposture, and do not know it until this moment, perhaps. But the farce was bound of course to come to an end. The poor clown must strip off his paint and spangles and gaudy clothes, and appear in his natural character.

Philbrick turned out to be only a Lowell Yankee, not much cuter, indeed, than the ordinary run of Lowell Yankees. He was a tradesman a few years ago, and about 1864 or 1865 went to Nevada, where, by a streak of good luck, he made $20,000 in gold. It was then that he formed the plan to sport around the country as an English Lord incog. The ruse worked well for awhile, but soon his money was spent.

He got to his bottom dollar in London, Canada West, and was soon in actual distress for the necessaries of life. One evening, a few days ago, he went out after night and stole a bundle of brooms from a store. He was pursued and arrested, and when found was breaking the brooms up to build a little fire to keep himself from freezing! Verily, every farce has some tragic features. Philbrick was arrested and is now in jail in London. Since then he has also been arrested for grand larceny.

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J. J. FREEMAN, Cashier.

STOCK AND BONDS WANTED

MANHATTAN SAVINGS BANK,

MEMPHIS, MARCH 4, 1868.

I WILL pay the highest market price for the following securities, within thirty days: First and Second Mortgage Bonds and Coupons and Stock in

Mississippi Central Railroad Company,
Memphis and Charleston Railroad,
Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad,
Mobile and Ohio Railroad,
Memphis and Little Rock Railroad,
Memphis and Ohio Railroad Bonds,
N. O., Jackson and Great Northern R. R. Co.

Also, Memphis City and State Tennessee Bonds and Coupons.

mh15w JACOB LEVY, President.

COAL.

Coal! Coal! Coal!

Gordon, Stone, Alabama and Sewannee Coal.

WE are prepared to furnish, in any quantity, either of the above Coals from the yard at the Memphis and Charleston Depot. Gordon, Stone and Alabama delivered at $1 25 per barrel. Sewannee delivered at $1 00 per barrel. Cash or receipted at the Office.

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mal Room 7, Cooper Block, Monroe street.

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I HAVE removed my office to 233 1-2 Main street, next door to the Clay Building, where I am prepared to fill, with No. 1 PITTSBURG COAL, all orders with which I may be favored.

H. B. PACKER, Coal Dealer.
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JOSEPH FLANNERY,

Practical Plumber,

Gas and Steam Pipe Fitter,

No. 53 Jefferson Street, Memphis, Tennessee

Keeps constantly on hand a well selected s

Iron and Brass Lift and Force Pumps

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W. T. SWANWICK & CO.,

LUMBER DEALERS,

Foot of Adams Street.

A LARGE SUPPLY OF

Shingles, — Laths,
Ceiling, — Flooring,
Glazed Sash, — Doors,
Blinds, — Fencing.

All orders promptly attended to. Cheapest house in the city.

SWANWICK & CO.

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NEW SEED STORE!

R. D. WARD & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

GARDEN AND FIELD SEED,

No. 220 Main Street,

Opposite Clay Building. — feb5 — MEMPHIS, TENN.

Diseases of the Eye.

DR. KEYSER, late a pupil of Professor V. Graefe, in Berlin Dr. has established his office at 278½ Main street, opposite Court Square. He is prepared to treat all diseases, make all operations and perform examination of the Eye. Register fully refers to the medical profession in the city. Office hours from 10 to 12 and 2 to 3 o'clock. mh15

FASHIONABLE

Boot and Shoemakers.

LINEBAUGH & BRO. Agents.

THIS well known store is now located on the second story between South Court and Madison, opposite the Gayoso House. mh15

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE.

100 barrels of Peach-blow Potatoes,
100 barrels Early Goodrich Potatoes,
700 bales of Hay,
1000 barrels Cement,
200 barrels Lime,
500 sacks Oats,
300 sacks Bran,
One Light Spring Wagon.

Just Received,

JOHN K. MOODY & CO.,
mh1 206 Front St.

LUNN & MALLON,

PLUMBERS,

GAS AND

STEAM PIPE FITTERS,

204 Main Street,

MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

HAVE on hand a large stock of PUMPS, CHANDELIERS, LEAD AND IRON PIPES, BRASS WORK of every description for Gas, Steam and Water.

Jobbing promptly attended to. ja13

RECEIVER'S SALE

OF

FINE FURNITURE

THE stock of FURNITURE belonging to FLANERTY & WESCHER,

No. 37 Union Street,

Will be sold out at private sale very cheap.

feb15 THOMAS MAYFIELD, Receiver.

Dissolution.

THE copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the style of WORMELEY, JOY & CO., of Memphis, and W. S. PICKETT & CO., New Orleans, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent and the retirement of Mr. RALPH WORMELEY.

LEVI JOY.
W. S. PICKETT.
JOHN D. USSERY.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 17, 1868.

In withdrawing from my late business connection, I take pleasure in recommending my successors to the patronage of the public, and hope the business extended to the late firm will be continued to be ours.

LEVI JOY.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned having purchased the entire interest of LEVI JOY in the above firms, and having assumed all their liabilities, are alone authorized to close up and settle their business. The name of WORMELEY, JOY & CO. will be used only in liquidation.

We will continue the Cotton Factorage and Commission business as heretofore under the style of WORMELEY, PICKETT & CO., Memphis, and W. S. PICKETT & CO., of New Orleans.

RALPH WORMELEY.
W. S. PICKETT.
JOHN D. USSERY.

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H. HARDER,

LADIES' & GENTLEMEN'S

BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTURER,

No. 262 1-2 Second Street,

(OPPOSITE COURT SQUARE, MEMPHIS, TENN

Keeps constantly on hand

The Best Quality of Custom-made Boots & Shoes

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN living in the country can send sizes and have shoes or Boots of the best fit, style and best quality made on shortest notice. All work warranted. ja21 tf cash

RUFUS L. DALTON. — DUN. F. PRICE

DALTON & PRICE,

BOOK AND JOB PRINTERS

AND

Book Binders,

No. 9 Jefferson Street, Under Commercial Hotel

MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

EXECUTE every description of PLAIN AND FANCY JOB PRINTING, such as

Bill Heads,
Bills Lading,
Account Sales,
Dray Receipts,
Dray Tickets,
Wedding Cards,
Visiting Cards,
Business Cards,
Play Cards,
Ball Tickets,
Blanks of all kinds,
Circulars,
Receipt Books,
Check Books,
Drafts,

and every description of

Railroad and Steamboat Printing.

BLANK BOOKS of every description made to order. Particular attention given to RULING of all kinds, such as

Music, Magazines,
Ladies' Books, Periodicals,
Standard Works, Etc., Etc.

No. 9 Jefferson Street. feb29

TENNESSEE PETRO OIL COMPANY,

Irving Block, 258 Second Street,

MEMPHIS, TENN.

WE always keep on hand, for wholesale and retail, Petro Oil, Lamps, Chimneys, Gimlet Burners, Sun Burners, and a variety of other Burners, and all necessary articles needed in the Petro Oil business. Also, dealers in stoves, Tinware, etc.

feb23 ROSENBAUM & CO.

House for Sale on 13 Years' Lease.

THE undersigned offers for sale the house formerly occupied by H. R. Pettis,

No. 216 Madison Street Extended,

Comprising three rooms, kitchen and servant's room. The house is conveniently located, with good cistern and other conveniences. The building is on leased ground, with nine teen years to run, at an annual rent of $100. Terms, for the next thirty days, $160; one half cash, balance in one year, at six per cent. interest. Inquire of the subscriber, on the premises, or at No. 222 Front street.

feb28 A. M. WILCOX.

SLAUGHTERING.

Hogs, Sheep and Cattle

I AM now fully prepared to Slaughter all kinds of animals at shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms, at my slaughter pen, near the Memphis Stock Yard, formerly occupied by Chatten.

I am also prepared to furnish the best and freshest MEATS of all kinds, Sausage, etc., at my stand mall, No. 72 South Market.

Orders for Fresh Meats or Slaughtering promptly attended to

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WILLIAM MILLER.

MANUFACTURER and Dealer in LADIES', MENS' and CHILDREN'S

BOOTS AND SHOES,

No. 219 Main Street,

Under Winchester House, — MEMPHIS, TENN.

☞ Special attention given to Custom Work. ap22

To the Public.

HAVING disposed of the lease, furniture, fixtures and stock of the Spencer House to Captain R. D. Somerville, I cheerfully recommend them to my old friends and patrons as gentlemen worthy of their confidence and confidence.

Cincinnati, February 27, 1868. L. P. PRATT.
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WANTS.

WANTED—
A GOOD COOK, WASHER AND IRONER.
Apply at 254 Front street, second office up stairs. mh11

BOARDING.

BOARDING—A large FRONT ROOM, furnished or unfurnished, with board, will be rented to a gentleman and his wife or two single gentlemen. Terms moderate. Apply at No. 69 Poplar street. mh4

REDUCTION IN BOARD—The WHITEMORE HOUSE has reduced its transient rates to $2 per day; Day Board to $6 per week; Regular Board with single rooms very low. Families can be accommodated with nicely furnished rooms at the lowest rates. Owing to the fact that we have no cause to pay, we can afford better inducements to guests than any other house in the city. ja26

SPECIAL NOTICES, ETC.

NOTICE—At the April term I will apply to the County Court of Shelby county to be appointed Guardian of Mary Lula and Bettie McNeal, minor heirs of J. B. McNeal deceased.
R. A. REYNOLDS.
ONLEY & DUVAL, Solicitors. mh4

NOTICE—To all whom it may Concern—I have this day suggested to the Clerk of the County Court of Shelby county, the insolvency of the estate of William Biggs, deceased. All creditors are required to file their claims by the first day of October, 1868, or they will be barred.
H. IRBY, Administrator.
ONLEY & DUVAL, Solicitors. mh5

NOTICE—To all whom it may concern—I will apply at the March term, 1868, of the County Court of Shelby county for letters of administration on the estate of Jane Blair, deceased.
W. L. BELL.
ONLEY & DUVAL, Attorneys. feb20

MARRIAGE AND CELIBACY AND THE HAPPINESS of True Manhood; an essay for Young Men on the Crime of Solitude, and the Physical Errors, Abuses and Diseases which create impediments to MARRIAGE, with sure means of relief. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address Dr. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia, Pa. feb12 3w

NOTICE—Having been appointed administrator of the estate of John Graf, deceased, all persons owing said estate are required to come forward and make settlement; and all persons holding claims against the estate will have the same proven and presented within the time prescribed by law, or they will be forever barred.
W. B. SHULZ, Administrator,
feb19 No. 11 McCall street.

SUNDAY, : : : : : MARCH 15, 1868

CITY scrip is held at at from sixty-two to sixty-five cents on the dollar. *County* scrip is from forty-five to fifty cents on the dollar. Here is a lesson taught by Radicalism. Two months ago city scrip was worth but thirty to thirty-five cents. It has gone up just one hundred per cent. Why? For two reasons. One is, that city affairs are known to be in the hands of competent men. Another is, they are in the hands of men known to our people, and who have a direct interest in the prosperity of Memphis. Look at the other side of the picture. When Radicals obtained control of the county finances, county scrip was worth from ninety-three to ninety-five cents on the dollar. This was about a year ago. County matters had been managed by the different magistrates in the county; and despite the incompetency of Leonard, the credit of Shelby county was high. Its destinies were in the hands of honest citizens who were directly and had been long identified with its prosperity. In twelve months, under the venal manipulation of a Radical county administration, county warrants have run down from ninety-five to thirty-five and forty cents, and getting worse every day. There is another feature to be noticed. The county has not only all the wealth of the city, but as much more outside, to sustain its credit. It does not owe a fourth of the debt the city owes, and yet its warrants, nearly at par a year ago, are now worth but little more than half that city warrants are worth. Could figures and facts be more suggestive of honesty and competency on the one hand, and of venality and knavery on the other? And to cover over villainy, to deceive and to defraud our people, these men who have brought the country to ruin are scheming to fund the debts they have made in time bonds! We warn our people and all others from investing in such securities. The history of our own matters is but that of every Southern city. Here we are in the hands of a few Radical things who obtained office for no other object than plunder. The managers have nothing to gain by an honest administration of county matters. They are strangers to our people who pay the taxes, and who, had they a voice, would never put such rogues in any place of public or private trust. If, among them, are some one or two men known to be clever and honest, they are like poor Tray when found in bad company; and the sooner they leave this band of thieves, the better for their reputation. In New Orleans, Mobile, Savannah, Nashville and all other southern cities, the same result has inevitably followed the incoming of radicalism. Their credit always sinks the moment radicalism lays its hands upon the finances. Can it excite surprise that the South does not prosper under this radical leeching?

THE railroad interests of Memphis are too great to be overlooked, and ought to be carefully protected, encouraged and aided by the enterprise and capital of our people. There is not a point in the Mississippi Valley, between St. Louis and New Orleans, which holds in its hands half the power and fortune of our city. That power may be now crippled by Radical legislation, which refuses to give the country peace; but when the material interests of the country are no longer disturbed or endangered by unwise legislation, or by the clamor of corrupt politicians, the power of Memphis, as a great commercial city, will grow and wield the resources of the most magnificent of all countries—the valley of the Mississippi. The unsatisfactory connections now existing between the Mississippi Central and the Mississippi and Tennessee railroad is matter of great regret, and injures the prosperity of Memphis. The delay in shipping freight from hence to points South of Grenada, by way of the Mississippi and Tennessee road, is onerous and ruinous. The Mississippi Central road has refused to have a joint freight tariff with the Mississippi and Tennessee road, on any terms. The result of this policy is to send freights by way of other routs, although, going South, the Mississippi and Tennessee road is the direct route, and fifty odd miles shorter than any other. Now, we see no good to the roads by thus refusing to co-operate; but as as the Central road has no direct connection with Memphis, and is in the hands of men who are in Jackson, Bolivar and Grand Junction, Tennessee, and of Oxford and Canton, Mississippi, we have no means of reaching them. Besides, this road is but a tributary to the Memphis and Charleston road, and would, perhaps, yield to its influence and power, though it should give offense to other roads, and possibly injure, indirectly, the commercial facilities of our merchants. The scheme of the Yazoo Valley railroad, projected before the war, would give Memphis a direct and independent connection with Jackson, Mississippi, and thence to New Orleans, and would leave the transportation of freight and the traveling, untrammeled. We do not see why the railroad men and merchants of our city have not united in a scheme of having a Union depot, connecting directly all the roads. It appears to us that it would be well to have this, as a matter of economy to the railroads; and certainly it would greatly facilitate the transaction of business, and remove all obstacles to harmony of action. We have lightly touched upon these matters, intending to discuss them more freely hereafter, and to do all we can to provoke our people to be up and doing.

OUR friends have again placed us under obligations for their many kind favors. Notwithstanding the hard times and general depression that pervades the community, subscribers are daily flowing in upon us from all sections of the surrounding country. We publish the following letter, received yesterday, as a specimen of what we receive every day:

McKENZIE, TENN., March 12, 1868.

MRS. GALLAWAY—*Madam:* As a small testimonial of the appreciation of this community, for your noble effort in behalf of the *right,* as against the tyranny of a partizan Judge, I send you to-day a list of twenty-one names, to which you will please have the AVALANCHE sent as long as the enclosed money will pay for the same.

Very respectfully,
W. H. HAWKINS.

We feel profoundly grateful for such substantial manifestations of sympathy. The cry used to be the negroes are going to rise; but the cry now is, the white folks are about to rise. Aye, they have already arisen in all their majesty and strength. The camp-fires are brightly burning upon the hills. The people have sworn in their brave hearts that despotism shall die—that tyrants shall perish—that plundering thieves shall no longer steal, and that white men shall not be subordinate to black men. As long as our friends stand by us, we intend to do our duty. From day to day, we carry our life in our hands. It is unpleasant to be torn from a happy little family and cast in a loathsome dungeon, where the bright sunlight never comes—it is still more unpleasant to be forced to associate with negroes, thieves and murderers—it is hard to be shut out from a beautiful world, when

"The queen of the spring is passing down the vale,
Leaving her robes on the trees, her breath in the gale."

But we had rather sacrifice that life—live in exile from wife and home—associate with demons and devils—forget the blue skies of heaven—the beauty, love and music of the spring time—than concede one ioto to despotism, one jot to tyranny, or sacrifice one tithe of those great and eternal principles of right, justice and liberty, in the defense of which brave men have won immortality while the tyrants have sunk in ignomeny and shame. Again we return thanks to our friends for their sympathy and their encouragement. The paper shall be a bold, honest advocate of all that concern the rights, the liberties and interest of the poor downtrodden Southern people. The war has just commenced. It shall be more bitter than heretofore. When the key of the dungeon was turned upon us, and we made a prisoner without a crime, we felt, as everybody feels and knows, that a great outrage had been committed upon our liberties, and the iron entered our soul. We *will* be avenged, and retribution, sooner or later, will come.

WE thank our friends of the *Ledger*, *Appeal* and *Bulletin*—our cotemporaries of the press everywhere—for the sympathy they have manifested in our behalf. We are nothing in this contest; but there are great and vital principles involved, and if the AVALANCHE is to be muzzled, denied the right to criticise the conduct of a corrupt partizan Judge, small men at once become Kings and Autocrats. The freedom of speech, the liberty of the press, the liberty of conscience, are great and inalienable rights of the citizens of a Republic; but none of these can be enjoyed with safety and freedom, if the right of the press can be restricted, and a corrupt judge permitted to carry on his corruptions without exposure. Let the test be made in our case. We care not for the sacrifices it may cost us. The press is deeply interested in the result, and we are rejoiced at the unanimity with which we have been sustained. Again we thank our cotemporaries for their kind words of cheer.

GREAT complaints are made by the readers of the AVALANCHE, of the Memphis and Charleston rail road, in regard to the delivery of the mails going eastward. The papers forwarded on the Express, leaving here at 12:45, are not received at LaGrange until 11 o'clock at night, when they should be delivered at 3 P. M. Many subscribers of this journal are complaining loudly. We have on our table an able letter on the subject, which will probably be published Tuesday morning. In the meantime we wish to know where the fault lies, and whether with the postoffice or railroad, we expect to demand a reform in unsparing terms until a change for the better is effected. No worse arrangement could possibly exist. A good stage line would be preferable, for people would not be fooled, and for forty or sixty miles out they would receive their mail matter earlier that they do now.

Gold closed in New York, yesterday, at 139¼—cotton firm.

Rev. Stephen H. Tyng has filed a protest against the decision of the Ecclesiastical Court in his case.

Donnegan, the murderer of W. Gallon, at Dubuque, nine months ago, has just been arrested.

The upper Mississippi is now open as far up as Dubuque. Navigation will be resumed at once.

The "Tiger" was pulled in Chicago Thursday night, and sixty-five gentlemen captured.

A movement is on foot in Chicago to establish a Refuge for fallen women. No place in Christendom needs it more.

Returns from 228 towns in New Hampshire give Harriman 39,712 and Sinclair 37,150; Harriman's majority over 2,500.

The un-Constitutional Convention of South Carolina has consented to adjourn on the 17th of March.

General Sherman has received instructions from headquarters to withdraw the garrisons of Forts Reno, Smith and Phil. Kearney.

The New York Chamber of Commerce proposes to celebrate its centennial anniversary this year. The Chamber was organized April 5, 1768.

Sergeant Bates has met with indignities in two instances only, and those were from imps of Satan in the Freedmen's Bureau.

The death penalty, abolished twenty years ago, by the Swiss Canton of Friburg, has just been restored by a large majority of the Grand Council of that Canton.

An old gentleman named Lewis, aged seventy-two, was married in Peoria, to a Mrs. Parker on Thursday evening. The latter is in her sixty-ninth year.

Rats, it is said, cannot live in Alaska, because their holes freeze up as fast as the rats dig them. Naturally, the rats get discouraged. At St. Thomas the earthquakes turn their holes wrong side out forty-three times a minute. This surprises the rats, and they leave on the first steamer.

TENNESSEE LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

NASHVILLE, March 12, 1868.

The Senate concurred in the amendment to the Revenue bill.

The Conventional Interest bill was tabled on the second reading.

The Senate refused to reconsider the vote on the Bounty bill, which adjourns the question over to the next Legislature.

The bill known as the Common Carriers' bill, amended by allowing negroes to buy either first or second class tickets, passed third reading.

The Senate joint resolution ordering Prof. Stafford to proceed forthwith to prepare and publish his final geological report, and authorizing him to draw $1,500 from the Treasury when he has deposited one copy with the librarian, was adopted.

ADDITIONAL CONGRESSMAN.

The joint resolution authorizing the election of one Congressman for the State at large, was adopted.

HOUSE.

SENATE BILLS ON THIRD READING.

To further extend the exemption laws.

Mr. Agee offered an amendment striking out $1,000 and inserting $500. Lost.

The bill passed.

HOUSE BILLS ON SENATE AMENDMENT.

To create a Board of County Commissioners for the county of Madison; amended by the Senate.

To liquidate the debt of the State falling due in 1868 and 1869; amended by the Senate. Referred to Committee on Finance.

To incorporate the Wales Station and Tennessee River Railroad Company; amended by the Senate. Amendment concurred in.

To incorporate West Point Lodge, and to establish a high school; amended by the Senate. Amendment concurred in.

To amend the law of divorce; amended by the Senate. Amendment concurred in.

To amend the charter of the town of Morristown; amended by the Senate. Amendments of the Senate were amended and concurred in.

SENATE BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Amendments incorporating the trustees of St. John chapel, in the city of Nashville, and incorporating the Tennessee Benevolent Loan Association, were adopted, and the bill passed.

To amend an act compensating justices and jurors.

The bill was amended by striking out so much of an amendment by the House at a previous reading as changes the time of holding the courts for the county of Anderson, by authorizing the Commissioner of Sumner county to issue bonds to fund the debts of said county, by authorizing judges to give precedence on the docket to suits involving the affairs of the Bank of Tennessee, and by repealing certain sections of the Code, and was then passed.

The House adjourned till 2 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate bill for the relief of T. McKinley and other registers of voters. Passed second reading and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

SENATE BILLS ON THIRD READING.

To amend the charter of the city of Nashville.

Mr. Prosser offered an amendment striking out all after the enacting clause of the bill and substituting a bill condensing into one act, and amending the charter of said city. Adopted.

Mr. Doughty offered an amendment incorporating the town of Clinton, in Anderson county. Adopted.

Mr. Medlin offered an amendment incorporating the town of Gadsden, in Madison county. Adopted, and the bill passed.

HOUSE BILL ON SENATE AMENDMENT.

To amend the law compensating justices and jurors; amended by the Senate. Amendment concurred in.

A Cure for Hard Times.

EDITORS AVALANCHE: With your permission I propose a radical cure for hard times in our section of the country, and in proportion or degree as my plans are put in operation, just in such a degree will general prosperity follow.

First thing, let politics alone, we, as a people, are but quasi citizens, and however much of the material wealth of the State we possess, while passion reigns, we may not hope for any thing like full citizenship, or any part in controling the destinies of the State in Legislative councils. But we *have* and *will* control the destinies of this section for weal or woe. We own the lands, we possess natural resources unsurpassed, if equaled, by any other portion of the globe, in fertile soil, salubrious clime, and adaptation to the growth of all that man needs or wants. Our fields will produce all the cereal and root crops with proper culture, that can be grown any where else, and grass clover will grow in great profusion. All we want is to look after and study the culture of grain, as food, as we have studied the cotton plant, and with a mere tithe of the labor bestowed on the cotton culture will cover all your waste lands with golden grain, and the lowing ox and bleating lamb will make melody over what to-day is a vast waste of old fields thrown out for sage grass and thistle. And wheat and corn and hay, flour and bacon will be quoted in your price current of Tennessee home production. All we want is a little energy, a little more doing away with our preconceived and foolish ideas that it is not honorable to work, or that we cannot do it.

Now, sir, I am proud of my lineage. A grandson of old Virginia, a Buckeye by birth, taught to believe that I belonged to a superior race, and relying on my own resources, I have never yet been able to find the African, of however pure blood, that was my equal in any material quality; and just so soon as our young men feel it to be honorable to lay aside for Sunday use and state occasions the kid glove and pump-soled boot, and seize hold of the plow handle, and breathe the fresh morning air, that will expand his lungs and give muscle to his frame, he and we will be independent, then no longer slaves, as now.

It is a fact, however humiliating, that we, as a white race in the South, are and have been the veriest slaves upon the earth by our education. Relying solely on the labor of Africa, feeling scarcely able to saddle our own horses. Now this is all nonsense, and worse than nonsense. Our fathers were not taught thus. Old Virginia fifty years ago, did not teach her children thus, nor should we. Let us then throw the shackles off and be once more free. Let us grow our own meat and flour; keep our own dairies; cultivate the lands to live off them; and one man will do more with the use of improved implements than five will without them. Our lands have been opened, and all we want is a little resolution on our part to build up our waste fortunes and make us masters of the situation. We hold our destinies in our own hands. Then let us use what is so clearly open to us, and let Africa and Radical ideas alone until it has spent its force, and only a few years will elapse until our boys will be voters, and they will not be disfranchised, and then you can remodel your organic law, and the white race will be once more supreme. In order to do this you must drop the cotton culture, only as an incident, and employ all your resources in making at home what we as a people consume.

DIXIE.

Rev. Bond English, of the South Carolina Conference, died on the morning of the 4th instant, at his residence, near Sumter. He was one of the oldest Methodist ministers in South Carolina.

A lady of Amesbury, Massachusetts, recently killed a Brahma rooster which had embezzled thirteen nickel cents, two two-cent pieces, and other indigestible articles. The funds were extracted from the misguided biped's crop.

Bridget Cunningham and a whisky bottle were found lying together on the grounds of the Buffalo poorhouse, on Monday morning—the one dead and the other empty. Bridget started to visit her children at the house, but fell over the fence, was unable to get up, and froze to death.

A negro was killed a few days since in New Albany, Georgia, in an altercation between the negroes on Major Bray's plantation, and Mr. Edmondson, the overseer, and some neighbors, who were searching for stolen bacon. Another negro was wounded, as was also Mr. Edmondson and another of the white men.

Of the rioters at Ward's Island, in New York harbor, twenty-four have been sentenced to imprisonment, and all others known to be engaged in the riot were banished from the island. The Irish and Germans have since been quartered separately.

The latest addition to the reconstruction acts, which passed through Congress a week ago, will be allowed to become a law by the lapse of ten days, without either the President's signature or veto.

TELEGRAPH.

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

Inauguration of Tammany Hall, St. Louis

Wholesale Discharge of Workmen.

Further Returns from the New Hampshire Election.

Rev. S. Tyng, Jr., Publicly Reprimanded

End of the Civil War in Crete.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, March 14.

Fractional currency issued for the week, $4,826,000; shipments of same and notes, $470,978; National Bank notes issued, $131,390; fractional currency redeemed and destroyed, $392,200.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, March 14.

Reverend Stephen H. Tyng has filed a protest against the decision of the Eclesiastical Court, in the case of his son, with the approval thereof by Bishop Potter. He makes a final appeal to the supreme and final decision of the General Convention of the Episcopal Church of the United States.

Rev. Stephen H. Tyng, Jr., was publicly reprimanded by Bishop Potter this morning, in the Church of the Transfiguration, for a violation of a canon of the Episcopal church, in officiating in the parish of another minister without his consent. An immense concourse was present. The Bishop cautioned Mr. Tyng against a repetition of the offense. Mr. Tyng sat in the aisle, in plain dress. He manifested no emotion, and made no remarks.

In the Supreme Court to-day, in the case of the people against the Erie railroad company, Judge Barnard appointed George A. Osgood Receiver of the sum realized by the sale of $8,000,000 worth of stock issued in violation of the injunction. Mr. Field objected to the Judge trying the case, on the ground that he was personally interested in the litigation. The Judge overruled the objection, and disclaimed the imputation. Mr. Devan was produced in court by the Sheriff, and released on bail.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, March 14.

The House yesterday sent back to the Senate the bill restoring the Iron Mountain railroad to Thomas Allen, with an amendment exempting Governor Fletcher from any legal action for seizing the road.

Tammany Hall, the new Democratic headquarters, at the corner of Washington avenue and Fifth street, was opened to-night with a free lunch. Speeches were made by several prominent Democrats. This hall will be the official headquarters of the Democratic Central and other committees and associations during the coming campaign, and will be conducted much after the plan of its namesake. Public meetings will be held and all other party business will be transacted there.

BOSTON.

BOSTON, March 14.

Five hundred workmen were discharged from the Charlestown Navy Yard to-day.

CONCORD.

CONCORD, N. H. March 14.

Returns from two hundred and twenty eight towns, mostly official, give Harriman 39,712, Sinclair 37,156 leaving Harriman's majority about 2500

FOREIGN.

LONDON, March 14.

Four men of the crew of the Jasmel packet were discharged from custody at Sligo to-day. These men were arrested near Dungarvan, where they had been put ashore from the Jasmel, which sailed from New York as a Fenian cruiser called the Erin's Hope. They were all naturalized citizens of the United States and of Irish birth. They will be sent home at the expense of the American Government.

PARIS, March 14.

M. Schrider, President of the Corps Legislatiff, has been made a Senator. M. David succeeds to the Presidency.

VIENNA, March 14.

Despatches from the South announce that the Grand Vizier has returned from Crete, and he reports to the Turkish Government that the war between the Turks and Cretan insurgents had ended. There were some guerrillas still operating in the mountain districts, though hardly a hundred strong, and no fears were anticipated of a fresh outbreak.

FROM HAVANA.

HAVANA, March 14.

The cholera at St. Thomas is unabated. The victims number about thirty per day.

The United States gunboat Saco had gone to Venezuela with Captain Robbins of the American whaler, Hannah Grant, a portion of the crew of which were made citizens by the Indians.

A woman in White county, Arkansas, gave birth to two female children last week, who each had twenty fingers and twenty toes. On the outside of each hand and foot was a protuberance like a plum, which a doctor cut off. They are healthy, and may live to pull some two old bachelors baldheaded.

The managers of a skating rink in Cambridge, Massachusetts, have excluded negroes from it.

In Live Oak county, Texas, only two votes were polled, both against a convention and for no candidate.

The splendid race horse and stallion, Whale, bred by Hon. D. F. Kenner, of Louisiana, has been purchased by Mr. J. C. Kelly, of Jacksonville, Illinois, and will be quite an addition to the stock of that enterprising State.

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW MEMPHIS THEATER.

Lessee and Manager........W. C. THOMPSON
Stage Manager........GEORGE B. WALDRON
Treasurer........C. D. STEINKUHL

A CARD.—Many having been disappointed in the securing of seats during Mr. Jefferson's six nights' engagement, the Management herewith begs to announce its extension to MONDAY and TUESDAY evenings.

MONDAY EVENING, March 16, 1868, Mr. JEFFERSON in Two Pieces—Mr. Golightly in the charming comedietta of LEND ME FIVE SHILLINGS; and Tobias Shortcut in the laughable comic drama of THE SPITFIRE.

TUESDAY EVENING, March 17, 1868, by universal request, RIP VAN WINKLE; Rip Van Winkle, Mr. Joseph Jefferson.

NOTICE.—As Mr Jefferson's engagement will not allow of any further continuation of this engagement, the public will do well to secure their seats at an early hour.

Doors open at quarter past seven. Curtain will rise at a quarter to eight.

Seats can be secured six days in advance.

PRICES OF ADMISSION—Dress Circle and Parquette, $1; Orchestra Chairs, $1 50; Family Circle, 50c.; Gallery, 25c.

ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVAL.

THERE WILL BE A GRAND FESTIVAL
AT THE MEMPHIS CLUB HALL
On Tuesday Evening the 17th instant.
The proceeds to be devoted to St. Patrick's Church.
TICKETS ONE DOLLAR.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BOARDING.—A pleasant furnished front room, suitable for a gentleman and lady, with board, in a private family, can be had at No. 8 Jackson street mh15

FOR RENT.—One dwelling house, No. 152 Hernando street. Will suit a small family. Also, residence lots in Corinth, Mississippi for lease on long time. Apply to T. H. Logwood, No. 13 Union street. mh15

For Sale.

100 BUSHELS SEED SWEET POTATOES.
Apply to W. J. CHASE & CO.,
mh15 42 Poplar street.

Notice.

I HAVE determined henceforward to do a Commission business exclusively, and have rented my store and taken an office up stairs in the same building, where I will be glad to see my friends and patrons. Thanking them for past favors, I beg a continuance of the same.
mh15 NATHAN HOFFHEIMER.

Notice.

AT A MEETING of the Directors of the German National Bank held this day, E. M. Apperson, Esq., was unanimously chosen a Director in place of Nathan Hoffheimer, Esq., resigned.
MARTIN GRIFFIN, Cashier.
March 14, 1868. mh15

Burial of Paupers.

IN accordance with a resolution of the Board of Aldermen, I will receive bids at my office, for one week from date, for the Burial of Paupers from the City Hospital, and in other cases where the city has to provide for the same.
JOHN W. LEFTWICH, Mayor.
March 15, 1868 mh15

Navy Yard Lessees.

NAVY Yard Lessees who wish to avoid suits for past due rents, are notified to settle, as their accounts will be handed to the City Attorney for collection by law on the 20th inst.
W. H. BRIDGES.
mh15 City Treasurer.

$10,000! $10,000! $10,000!

Groceries, Liquors, Cigars, Etc., Etc.,

AT AUCTION,
BY A. S. LEVY & CO.

WE will sell on WEDNESDAY MORNING, the 18th instant, at ten o'clock, at No. 33 Adams street, between Main and Second, the contents of the above store, consisting of an entire stock of Groceries, Liquors and Cigars, in original packages.

One hundred thousand Cigars, 50 chests Tea, 50 kits Mackerel, 50 quarter barrels Mackerel, 38 half kits Mackerel, 50 cases Oysters, 50 cases Peaches, 25 barrels Vinegar, 50 barrels assorted Liquor, Flour, Sardines, Jellies, Canned Fruits, Catsup, Pepper Sauce, Indigo, Citrons Pepper, Alspice, Shot, and all articles found in a No. 1 wholesale grocery. Sale to the trade. Also, one Iron Safe, Fixtures, etc.
See the Red Flag. A. S. LEVY,
mh15 Auctioneer.

TRADING STORE STOCK
OF

Hats, Boots, Shoes, Dry Goods, Etc.,

AT AUCTION,
BY A. S. LEVY & CO.

WE will sell on TUESDAY MORNING, the 17th instant, at 10 o'clock, at No. 346 Greenlaw Block, Second street, a stock of a country store declining business, consisting of

Hats, Boots, Shoes, Domestics, Dry Goods, Clothing, etc. Sale to the trade.
See the Red Flag. A. S. LEVY,
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Glazed Sash.

Cheapest in the city.
W. T. SWANWICK & CO.

150,000 Shingles.

Best to be had.
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All articles in our line at the Lowest Rates. Orders from the country promptly and faithfully filled.
W. T. SWANWICK & CO.,
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FOR SALE.

1,000 bales Straight Timothy Hay,

1,000 barrels Louisville Cement,

100 barrels Celebrated Missouri Magnolia Mills Flour, equal to Harrison's, at Low Cash Prices.

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"ROCHELLE," Stated Contributor.

This is a beautiful paper, that every farmer and every farmer's wife—that every nurseryman and his wife and every stock raiser and his wife, and the sons of these, should read and its advice follow.

From the following papers learn the verdict of the Southern press:

From the Memphis Avalanche.

"We hope no planter in the Southwest will regard his household gods as complete without a copy of the SOUTHERN FARMER. * * * It is a splendid publication in every respect which should be in the hands of all interested in such matters."

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"One of the best agricultural papers in the country, is the SOUTHERN FARMER, published at Memphis by M. W. Phillips & Co., at $2."

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"It is an excellent paper, and in every respect merits the patronage of our farmers and planters. * * * Two dollars cannot be expended to more advantage than on a year's subscription."

From the Memphis Public Ledger.

"We take much pleasure in recommending THE SOUTHERN FARMER to our planting friends as a journal whose worth to them cannot be estimated in dollars."

From the Southern Eagle, Miss.

"We know of no better agricultural journal in the country. Every farmer should subscribe."

From Moore's Rural New Yorker.

"The January number is worth the year's subscription."

Every man should read in his profession. The farmer must read and study his by the best lights or he will lose ground. He should cultivate in his sons a love for agriculture, horticulture and stock raising, and he can do this no more cheaply or successfully than by taking an agricultural paper.

One well conducted Southern paper, located as THE SOUTHERN FARMER is, in the center of the South and West, and ably conducted by the South's ablest pens, is worth more to southern farmers than all the papers written at the North and for Northern farmers. Try the FARMER one year. mh15w

Attachment Suit.

Law Court of Memphis—Clerk's Office, March 14, 1868—No. 1189, A. D.—Galbreath, Stewart & Co., Plaintiffs, vs. J. Buntin, defendant. Attachment Suit.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, J. Buntin; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in June next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and the cause set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.
JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.
A copy.
JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C.
WRIGHT, McKISSICK & WRIGHT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. mh15

Attachment Suit.

Law Court of Memphis—Clerk's Office, March 14, 1868—No. 1186, A. D.—Galbreath, Stewart & Co., Plaintiffs, vs. W. B. Johnson, Defendant. Attachment Suit.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, W. B. Johnson; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in June next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and the cause set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.
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IN ADDITION, ALWAYS HAVE

Choice Michigan Butter,	Extra Golden Syrup,	Buckwheat Flour,
Shaker Preserves,	Canned Fruits, Pickles,	Green and Black Teas,
Sugar, Flour, Meal, Lard,	Sugar Cured Hams,	Breakfast Bacon,
Choice Coffees,	Irish Potatoes, Hominy,	Beans, Pearl Barley.

Have in store a consignment of DRIED PEACHES—finest in the market.

Captain KEALHOFER gives special attention to Cotton and Produce consigned to the house. ja30

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Attachment Suit.

Law Court of the City of Memphis—Clerk's Office, March 4, 1868—No. 1314—Attachment suit—Galbreath, Stewart & Co. Plaintiffs, vs W. J. Rogers, Defendant.

AFFIDAVIT for Attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and Attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "Levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, W. J. Rogers, it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in June next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him, and the case set for hearing exparte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.
JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.
By JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C.
A copy:
WRIGHT, McKISSICK & WRIGHT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.
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Attachment Suit.

Law Court of the City of Memphis—Clerk's Office, March 14, 1868—No. 1174, A. D.—Attachment Suit—Galbreath, Stewart & Co., Plaintiffs, vs. Isaac Smith, Defendant.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant Isaac Smith; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in June next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.
JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.
A copy.
JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C.
WRIGHT, McKISSICK & WRIGHT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.
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Executor's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Samuel Leake, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have filed my settlement of the estate of Samuel Leake, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the April term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.
V. LEAKE, Executor.
JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk.
By BERNARD COLE, D. C.
Printer paid $5. mh14

Executor's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of J. C. Butler, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have filed my settlement of the estate of J. C. Butler, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the April term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.
LOUISA J. HARRIS, Executrix.
JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk.
Printer paid $5. mh14

From the Chicago Times.

DR. JAMES, the well known physician and author, is without doubt the most successful Specialist of the age. He established and for thirteen years conducted James' Lock Hospital, New Orleans, and for seven years has been located in this city. The Monitor, a treatise on chronic venereal diseases, spermatorrhea, diseases peculiar to females, their remedies, etc., should be read by all.

Dr. James will be in Memphis in a few days, and remain for a short time. The Monitor can be had at Kimmons' and at Leck's news room, in wrappers. Price, $1. mh14

Mad. M. Leise's Dancing Academy,

231 Second Street, Adams Block.

MADAM L.'s Classes for the above accomplishment will remain open during the Spring and Summer months, as follows: Children's Class Saturdays at ten a.m. and three o'clock p.m., and Tuesdays at four p.m. Gents same evening at eight o'clock. mh9

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SPRING MILLINERY GOODS

C. DOHERTY, 338 Main Street,

HAS just received the first part of her Spring Goods, consisting of Bonnets, Hats, in every shape and quality; Head Dresses, Old Ladies' and Infants' Caps in endless variety; Fancy Goods, etc.

I sell only for CASH, which enables me to sell at SMALL PROFITS, and having a Resident Buyer in the Eastern Market, will be in constant receipt of the LATEST STYLES OF NEW GOODS as they arrive from Paris.
Hats 25 cents each. C. DOHERTY,
mh14 338 Main street.

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BOHLEN, HUSE & CO.,

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WE would remind dealers in Ice, in the railroad and river towns, that the Spring is the best time to lay in their stock. While we are unloading, we can sell it by car load or in large quantities cheaper than after it is put in store, and the wastage in transit is much less.

Packing orders promptly filled, when money is sent with them, or when ordered through a city merchant.
feb15 BOHLEN, HUSE & CO

Trustees' Sale.

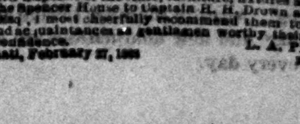
BY virtue of a deed of trust executed by W. P. Haines & Co., of Augusta, Ark., to Toof, Phillips & Co., of Memphis, Tenn., on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1867, and duly recorded in the Recorder's office in Woodruff county, Ark., in Mortgage Record Book A, pages 144, 145 and 146, we will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, at the Court House door in the city of Augusta and State of Arkansas,

On Tuesday, the 21st day of April, A. D. 1868,

Between the hours of ten a m and three p.m., of same day, the following described property, to satisfy said trust, viz: seven bales of cotton, nine mules, six work oxen and one wagon.
F. M. MAHAN,
J. M. McCURDY,
mh14 Trustees.

OWEN SMITH,

UNDERTAKER,



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To the Public.

HAVING disposed of the lease, furniture, fixtures and stock of the Spencer House to Captain H. H. Brown and Mark Sweeny, Esq., I most cheerfully recommend them to my old friends and acquaintances as gentlemen worthy their patronage and confidence.
L. A. PRATT.
Cincinnati, February 27, 1868. mh1

THE DAILY AVALANCHE

SUNDAY, : : : : : MARCH 15, 1868

OFFICIAL JOURNAL OF THE CITY AND BOARD OF SCHOOL VISITORS.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Through Mail Daily	5:30 P.M.	11:05 P.M.
Through Express Daily	10:45 P.M.	5:30 P.M.
Somerville Accommodation (daily, except Sunday)	8:35 A.M.	5:00 P.M.

Railroad time twenty minutes faster than city time. Ticket offices, 279 Main street and at Depot.

MISSISSIPPI AND TENNESSEE RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
New Orleans Express—Daily	3:35 P.M.	3:15 P.M.
Sardis Accommodation, Daily, except Sunday	9:30 A.M.	1:30 P.M.
Freight, North, Monday, Wednesday and Friday; South, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday	8:35 P.M.	5:30 A.M.

Takes effect Sunday, March 8, 1868.

MEMPHIS AND LOUISVILLE RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Day Express	9:15 A.M.	7:00 A.M.
Night Express	8:15 P.M.	4:00 P.M.

Railroad time 15 minutes faster than city. Ticket office No. 237½ Main street. Depot head of Main street.

POST OFFICE ARRANGEMENTS.

CLOSING OF MAILS.

For Cairo, Chicago, St. Louis, Nashville, Louisville, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Buffalo, Albany, New York, Baltimore, and all cities North and West, at 2:30 p.m.

For Chattanooga, Richmond, Washington, Augusta, Columbus, Ga., Montgomery, Mobile, New York, Nashville and all cities South and East, at 12:45 p.m.

For New Orleans, Baton Rouge, Jackson, Vicksburg, Natchez, and all cities South, at 3:35 p.m.

All stations on Mississippi and Tennessee Southern and New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroads, at 3:15 p.m.

All Stations on the Memphis and Louisville and Branch railroads, at 2:30 p.m.

All Stations on the Memphis and Charleston, Mississippi Central, Mobile and Ohio, Nashville and Decatur, Nashville and Chattanooga and East Tennessee Railroads, at 12:45 p.m.

ROBERT C. GIST, Postmaster.

Dr. James has arrived, and is stopping at the Overton. His office will be announced in a day or two.

Preaching at the Central Methodist church, on Union street, to-day at eleven a.m. and seven p.m., by Rev. John Moss.

Preaching at the First Presbyterian Church corner of Third and Poplar streets, to-day at eleven o'clock a.m.

There will be no preaching at the Linden street Christian Church to-day, the pastor being absent at Paducah. Regular services at eleven o'clock a.m.

There will be preaching in the Presbyterian church on Echols street, South Memphis, this, (Sunday) morning, at eleven o'clock, by Rev. Mr. Harris, formerly of Marshall county, Mississippi. Give him a hearing. Seats will be free to all.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.—Sabbath school at nine a.m. Preaching by the Rev. Dr. Graves, at eleven a.m., and also at night. The first of a series of discourses to young men will be delivered at half-past seven p.m. Subject: "Atheism."

A CHANGE.—Mr. Nathan Hoffheimer, the well known liquor merchant, has changed his business, and will henceforth do a regular commission business. His old customers and the public will take notice.

FESTIVAL AND BALL.—The Irishmen of Memphis propose giving a grand ball and festival in the Memphis Club Hall, on Tuesday night, St. Patrick's Day—proceeds to be devoted for the benefit of St. Patrick's church. Let there be a good turn out.

Telegrams remaining in the office March 15th: A Ballard & Co, Horace Jackson, Alex Ross, J R Clarke & Co, L S Burr & Co, H F Cooper, B M Estes, Jos Brown, D F Tinnon, W C Postal, M S Temple, Anderson & Watson, Jas S Woolfolk, W P Eagan.

FOR SALE.—I have for sale eight or nine hundred gallons of pure imported Port Wine, which I will sell cheap for cash, and guarantee the wine as good as any in this market.

T. W. O'DONNELL, 362 Shelby street.

THE NAVY YARD PROPERTY.—Lessees of property in the Navy Yard are notified by advertisement this morning to settle the rents by the 20th, to avoid trouble. After that time the accounts will be placed in the hands of the City Attorney for collection.

NEW MEMPHIS THEATER.—Mr. Jefferson drew another very large audience last night. He will remain two evenings longer, appearing in two pieces Monday night. Tuesday evening a train will run over the Charleston railroad, carrying visitors to the theater at the rates charged when the Black Crook was here. The same evening a train will be in from Brownsville—fare, three dollars for the round trip, including theater ticket.

FATHER WALSH'S ORATION.—The Reverend Father Walsh will deliver an oration Tuesday morning, next (St. Patrick's Day) at 10:30 o'clock. His subject will be the "life and character of St. Patrick." Father Walsh, since his arrival in this city, has endeared himself to every member of his congregation. His reputation as an orator and scholar is such that those who hear him cannot fail to appreciate his genius. We commend his lecture to the attention of our readers.

SHELBY COUNTY CONVICTS PARDONED.—Governor Brownlow has pardoned the following named convicts sent from this county to the penitentiary: John Wallace, convicted in 1866 of larceny; Geo Washington (colored), convicted February, 1867; George Williams, convicted August, 1866, larceny; Wash Smith, convicted in 1867, larceny; Church Saunders, convicted 1866, larceny; W. Payne, convicted 1867, larceny; Thomas Nicken (colored), convicted 1866, larceny; Martin Fields (colored), convicted 1867, larceny; J. Cowley, convicted of larceny in June, 1866.

SPRING MILLINERY GOODS.—Budding trees, warm showers and bright sunshine remind us that mild spring has made her advent, and our lady friends are already busying themselves in purchasing spring attire. In this connection we direct attention to the new advertisement of Miss. C. Doherty, the well known dealer in millinery, straw goods, bonnets, hats, etc. She is daily receiving and opening her spring stock at No. 338 Main street, and invites the public to call and examine. This is one of the most reliable houses in the city, and which we take pleasure in recommending.

A CURE FOR HARD TIMES.—Under the above caption we print a communication, in another place, which will not fail to attract attention. It is the production of an old, practical Memphis mechanic and builder, who has been for many years identified with the material interests of the community, and who represents a class to whom the public are more indebted than to almost any other for the country's past prosperity. We have the promise of our correspondent that he will furnish us a weekly contribution. We shall be glad to hear from him and all other practical men who have anything to offer respecting the material prosperity of the country. Practically, we must almost rebuild the South financially and commercially, and the sooner the task is commenced the better.

THE SOUTHERN FARMER.—We hope no planter in the South-west will regard his household gods complete without a copy of the *Southern Farmer*, published in this city by the South-Western Publishing Company, and edited by Dr M W Phillips, assisted by Professor Hilgard, of Georgia, Mr G W Gift, of Memphis, J P Berkmans, Augusta, Georgia, C C Langdon, of Mobile, Alabama, George Husman, of Missouri, J Van Buren, of Georgia, D L Adair, of Kentucky, "John Hickson," Alabama, and "Rochelle." It is a splendid publication in every respect, which should be in the hands of all interested in such matters. Typographically it could scarcely be neater. Its tone, when alluding to political matters, is strongly Conservative. We direct attention to the advertisement elsewhere.

THE PASCHALL HOUSE ASSOCIATION SCHEME.—We publish in our advertising columns a large announcement of the Paschall House Association of St. Louis, which was recently organized, and intends distributing $500,000 in prizes. There will be five hundred prizes, and the price of each certificate is $5. The draw will be made at the Mercantile Library in St. Louis, on the 1st of June. The first prize is the Paschall House in St. Louis—a complete hotel, with business houses underneath, the whole now renting for $9,600 per annum. The other prizes, also valuable, are mentioned in the advertisement. Colonel Phillip S. Lanham, of St. Louis, is manager of the Association, and the best of references are given as to the responsibility and integrity of all concerned. The well known merchant, Mr. E. S. Plummer, 212 Front street, is agent for this city, and will dispose of tickets to all desiring them.

Books.

CAKES AND ALE AT WOODBINE; from Twelfth Night to New Year's Day. By Barry Gray. New York: Hurd & Houghton. 1868.

Barry Gray, a New York *litterateur*, has furnished the public a number of quite readable books, among them "Matrimonial Infelicities," and "Out of Town." They are sparkling with wit and sentiment, and calculated to relieve many an hour from weariness. The latest contributions of this character lies before us in the shape of "Cakes and Ale," a neatly printed book of two hundred and thirty pages, from the press of Hurd & Houghton, New York. It is a medley of gossipping sketches and hits at the times, and should be extensively read. For sale by Copperthwait, Chapman & Co., 279½ Main street.

Messrs. Copperthwait, Chapman & Co. are also in receipt of Appleton's cheap edition of the Waverley Novels, "Ivanhoe" and "Waverley" having already arrived. These volumes are of convenient size, well printed, and sold at seventy-five cents each. When such standard works as the Waverley Novels can be procured for a mere trifle, no one need plead inability to become familiar with them.

"BEGGARS ON HORSEBACK."

The Outrages Daily Perpetrated by the Board of County Commissioners.

People's Money Squandered on Partisans by Thousands of Dollars.

County Warrants Depreciated and Mountains of Debt Piled on the People.

Who Rule Shelby County—How Many Pay Taxes, and the Amount—A Fragrant Showing.

Carpet Baggers, Adventurers, and Imbeciles Take Front Seats and Rule the Roast.

For a long time the combination known as the Board of Commissioners of Shelby County has been carrying matters in this community with a high head. Its members have, in their official capacity, assumed almost dictatorial powers, and scattered the people's money for the benefit of favorites, with a lavish hand. Generally they have acted without reference to the public wishes, or the condition of the public exchequer. When currency failed, scrip was substituted, which, starting out fairly, soon sank under the blighting influence of gross mismanagement and lack of public confidence, to nominal prices. For months it has been hawked about at nearly half its face. Thousands of dollars can be procured at from 45 to 47@48c and nobody wants it at any price.

There is a reason for this, but it has no reference to any lack of material resources of the county to liquidate indebtedness. The realty of the county is very valuable, and the debt contracted prior to a year or two ago not large. Before the war matters progressed finely; creditors of the county were not compelled to accept "promises to pay" worth scarcely the paper they were printed on; and debtors could not liquidate an assessment of $100 with one-third that sum. Then there was such a thing as public confidence in the men who managed affairs. Such men as Judges Pettit and John W. Smith, who, for years presided over the Board of Magistrates, and the officials connected with them, were not only personally interested in the welfare of the community, but enjoyed universal esteem. Then a county warrant for a dollar brought a dollar. If an appropriation were orderd, the people felt the public interest demanded it, and that the money of the tax payers was not being squandered on personal or political favorites to no good purpose.

How is it now? Instead of the old regime we have a new-fangled Board of County Commissioners, composed mainly of men until lately unknown to the community, and whose course since notoriety sought them out has redounded chiefly to their discredit.

Armed with power almost absolute over the public treasury, they have squandered the people's substance, regardless of the indignant protests of the burdened tax payers and the press. Whenever partisanship required it, the coffers usurped by them have been opened and emptied recklessly as though exhaustless as the fabled treasures of Monte Christo. If a favorite, who could control votes, demanded sustenance, and no position were found unfilled, one was carved out for him. A few flourishes of a pen settled the matter, by fastening a new pensioner upon the people. If a favorite owns a mass of old rubbish, useless to himself and for which an auctioneer would not give a button, it is palmed off on the community, to be squeezed in somewhere at the public expense. The motto has been "To the victors belong the spoils," and having wormed themselves into positions of honor and trust, they deem it no wrong to divide the spoils where they can be made most useful to party and self.

It is not remarkable that, under the circumstances, people should turn with nausea from contemplation of our county affairs, and shrink from the vast piles of trash labeled "scrip," as though each particle were a leper. It is not remarkable, then, that people painfully familiar with the official face of the tax gatherer should begin to ask when all this is to end, and what is to become of a community so tax-ridden and betrayed.

Who are the men to whom the people are indebted for this condition of affairs? Are they, as of old, recognized as men of interrity? Let us see.

After Judge John W. Smith, who left county warrants at par, came Judge Leonard. For a few months no depreciation in scrip occurred; but took a sudden flight; imbecility stepped in, and soon blunder succeeded blunder; common sense county warrants commenced their downward flight. Wrangling between the magistrates, who wished to save the people's money, and Leonard, who wished to rule the roast, regardless of common sense, deceney, or the protests of the public, became the order of the day. The sessions of the County Court descended to the level of the saw-dust ring—the presiding officer admirably personating the harlequin, less the wit.

Then followed a new law abolishing the County Court, and substituting a Board of Commissioners. The magistrates, representing every Civil District, were thrust aside for five men, to be chosen by the Governor. Of course no Conservative citizen could obtain a place on the Board. Only the "truly loil" were eligible, and the nomadic proprietors of dusty carpet bags became flushed with the opportunity to burrow into the treasury. Anxious for almost any change that looked to the displacement of Leonard, the people offered no protest. Indeed, none could have been heard through the mass of carpet bags already piled on the road to Nashville.

For Chairman of the Board of Commissioners, the Governor naturally selected Barbour Lewis, generally known as Blewis, a Judge by virtue of having for several months preserved an owl-like dignity at the head of a military commission whose edicts were enforced by the bayonet. His associates were Wm. Haack, an old farmer from the country, with more honesty than capacity, and quite easily managed by his chief; W. H. White, of Iowa, a peripatetic saw-bones, in search of fame and fortune, with nothing to lose and everything to gain; F. W. Louis, a city saloon-keeper and genial fellow, who is understood to sneeze whenever Blewis takes snuff; and J. E. Merriman, whom old citizens believed could be of some service in checking the excesses of the carpet baggers at the head of affairs.

These are the men who, for many months, have controlled Shelby county, destroying public confidence, scattering money like chaff among political or personal favorites, and piling up mountains of debt for the people to pay. Assessing new and oppressive taxes is a labor of love; the addition of one or two per cent. is a mere bagatelle. The people pay the bills, and resistance is rendered powerless by legislative enactment.

Are the Commissioners not also affected by these excessive taxes and this wholesale squandering of the public substance? Not at all. Three members of the Board constitute a quorum, and of the five, ONLY TWO PAY STATE OR COUNTY TAXES. A glance at the books in Tax Collector Garvin's office reveals the somewhat astonishing fact that—

Barbour Lewis does not pay a dollar of State and county taxes;

F. W. Louis does not pay a dollar of State and county taxes;

William H. White does not pay a dollar of State and county taxes;

J. E. Merriman pays $334 70 of State and county taxes;

William Hack pays $29 70 of State and county taxes.

It will be borne in mind that each Commissioner obtains a salary of $2,500.

The spectacle is presented of a Board, the majority of whom do not pay a dollar into the treasury, and all five of whom pay only $364 40, levying taxes by wholesale, and spending money as freely as though it were their own and the county derived a benefit from it.

The two who pay taxes may protest until doom's day without effect. The three unaffected a dime should fifty per cent. be levied on the taxable property of the county, can pass any appropriation over their heads, and rush the country into bankruptcy at will. We regret inability to mention any such protests; and, so far as practical results are concerned, are compelled to class the Board as "birds of a feather." A few days ago, a correspondent came to the defense of Mr. Merriman. Why does not that gentleman and Mr. Haack publicly protest when outrages are perpetrated by the Blewis clique? The AVALANCHE is open to them, free of cost.

What do the people think of the men who rule over them?

Cheapest trunks at 352 Main street.

S. M. Guest, Hernando Road, has received a full supply of garden seeds from the celebrated practical gardener, Peter Henderson, of New Jersey. He also keeps on hand everything in the grocery and feed line. Call and see him. His prices are as low as any in the city. 3t

New style Hats, cheap, at Wheaton & Co's., 199 Main street. 2t

Trunk factory at 352 Main street.

Spring and Summer Hats, cheap, at Wheaton & Co's. 199 Main street. 2t

Just received by L. Podesta & Co., 55 Madison street, direct importers, from Genoa, Italy, and for sale low: Italian maccaroni, assorted; Italian wine, assorted; Italian cheese and Italian sweet oil. Foreign and domestic liquor constantly on hand, at the lowest price. 1w

Best trunks in the city at 352 Main street.

New style Silk and Cassimere Hats, at Wheaton & Co's. 2t

Planters wanting boots, shoes, or the very latest style of hats, should call at the large and magnificent house of J. T. Handlan & Co., where they are selling under cost. 1m

NEWS IN BRIEF.

We had the pleasure of a call yesterday evening from our young friend Mr. Green, proprietor of the Tuscumbia *North American*.

The Radicals, by shrewd manipulation of the registration, in Madison county, have carried the election by three hundred majority.

Messrs. H. S. Nelly, Charles Wilson and Woodfin Taylor have been appointed Claim Commissioners for Obion county, under the loyal indemnity swindle.

There is a colored school in Brownsville, with seventy-two pupils.

Major Cochran, a well known lawyer of Troy, Obion county, Illinois, is in the city attending court.

The following named gentlemen comprise the Grand Jury of the Circuit Court now in session in Somerville, Fayette county: J W Thomas, E J Sullivan John J McCaughan, W A Hawkins, W S Thornton, Wiley Beal, E F Balthrop, J M McFaddan, J T Champion, J T Lazenby, E Rosch, J O Lane and Jas H Saunders.

We understand that the *Commercial and Argus* printing material has been sold to some gentlemen seeking journalistic fame and fortune in Paducah, Kentucky. They design establishing a Conservative daily at that point.

Mr. L. H. Pierce, the well known proprietor of the Pierce House, Canton, Mississippi, is in the city.

General Asbeth, who at one time during the war held a military command here, died recently in the Argentine Republic.

To Mr. J. C. Eyrich, general news agent on the Mississippi and Tennessee railroad, who returned yesterday from New Orleans, we are indebted for late papers.

Friday night the police captured four thieves, named Joe Edward, Tom Ryan, Pat Trainer and Mike Mahon, who were prowling about suspiciously on Jackson street. Near by was a "scalping wagon," in which they doubtless intended carrying away the night's booty. Officer Sauerman made the arrest.

Yesterday morning ten cases were tried in the Police Court. The collections amounted to six dollars.

Our friend Gus. Signaigo, of the Grenada *Sentinel*, arrived yesterday morning, but hearing of the Ku-Klux left in the afternoon in hot haste for the Mississippi jungles.

We learn that the new hotel project on Main, between Madison, and Monroe streets, has taken definite shape. Messrs. Cook, Baldwin and Jones, architects, are preparing drafts, one of which will be chosen. The new hotel will be kept by Colonel Cockrell, and contain two hundred sleeping rooms, with large rotunda, etc. It will be ready for occupation in October.

B. Borghetta's confectionary, 49 Court street, was robbed of cigars and tobacco worth $50.

Mr. Frank Taft, Municipal Court Clerk elect, has employed Colonel D. K. McRea and Captain Harry Lee, to oust "my brother, the Colonel," from his position. The plot thickens.

Tobacco, shoulders, flour, etc., valued at $500, were stolen from T. S. Ganti's grocery on Friday night.

Detective Hastings yesterday recovered $113 worth of goods recently stolen from Mr. Goldsmith.

Yesterday afternoon John Everett, Esq., of London, England, ex-Mayor Tieman of New York, and Mr. Morton, of the N. O. G. and G. N. railroad, arrived, and are at the Gayoso. General Beauregard accompanied the party as far as Granada, Mississippi.

Mr. Ed. Doyle, a painter, fell from a scaffold in Irving Block, yesterday, and was severely injured.

Mr. E. M. Apperson has become a Director of the German National Bank, *vice* N. Hoffheimer, resigned.

Captain J. J. Clemons, of the well known house of Wright & Parker, of Louisville, has been in the city a day or two, on business.

Colonel William James Kelley, connected with the Louisville *Courier*, arrived in the city last evening, on a trip of rejuvenation. Colonel Kelley seemed to be enjoying himself highly when we met him.

PRESENTATION.

A Fine Horse and Buggy Presented to Colonel Beaumont by the Police.

Last night Police Headquarters was the scene of a most pleasant episode in the shape of a presentation by the members of the Metropolitan Police, of a fine horse and buggy to the Superintendent, Colonel S. B. Beaumont. In addition to nearly all the force, quite a number of citizens, including representatives of the city press, were present. The presentation address was delivered by Dr. A. T. Shaw, in the following terms:

COLONEL: In behalf of the Metropolitan Police of Memphis, I am requested to say that, appreciating the magnitude of your labors, and the multiplicity of your duties, they have deemed it fit and proper to provide you with means of locomotion in addition to the ordinary gifts of nature.

We are aware that your progress by whatever means, and at any gait, has been persistently objected to and constantly interfered with. Oftentimes you have been compelled to "go slow"—and sometimes there has been a doubt whether you should go at all. But your progress has been steady, sure, upward and onward, and believing the time has come when you may regard yourself as firm in your seat, we deem it fit that where you have before walked you should now ride. To accomplish this purpose the Metropolitan Police force, as a body, ask your acceptance from them of this horse and buggy. And they hope and pray that you may long live to enjoy this testimonial of the high regard and kind feelings they entertain toward you.

May your progress always be upward, but may it at the same time have the swiftness of a down-hill race.

The Doctor's address was received with applause. After silence was restored, Colonel Beaumont stepped forward and said:

Dr. Shaw and Gentlemen of the Metropolitan Police: The emotions excited by this expression of esteem are of no ordinary character. Coming at this time, after two years of arduous service; two years of almost relentless opposition; two years of constant warfare with the bitterest enemies; it is especially gratifying to receive, with no object prompting it but esteem and friendship, a magnificent present like this. I cannot but feel moved; and in accepting the gift as an expression of esteem, feel that it is intended only as such. I feel assured you who have served under me know me too well to believe that I could be in any manner swerved from my duties, or induced, by any such considerations, to remove any restriction on your duties. You know well that since the police force has been organized I have been to you a stern superior, and have sought the good will of no man in the force by catering to him, or relieving him from any of the duties belonging to him. I believe I can say without egotism or vanity that I have ever shared the hardships of duty; never attempted, since I have been your chief, to repose in luxury; shrunk from duty; go idly home and repose in ease and comfort while you were undergoing the exposures and hardships of night duty. [Applause.] The course I have seen fit to pursue in the management of the police has been from conviction of duty, without reference to what men might say of it. At all times I have sympathized with you during all hardships and dangers, pestilence and persecutions. When your comrades lay stretched cold in death by the hand of the assassin, your sorrows have been felt by me as deeply as though you were my own brothers. In my anxiety to maintain discipline, I may sometimes have dealt more sternly than you thought just; but it should be borne in mind that no member can commit an act denounced by the citizens, which does not reflect upon the whole force. You should be anxious to have all derelictions strictly and promptly enquired into. I again thank you for this latest evidence of esteem. While I remain Superintendent I shall retain the gift with the proudest feelings—not because of its intrinsic value, but because it is that of this noble body of men. [Prolonged applause.]

All I ask in the future is, that you perform your duties in the future as you have in the past. I have before me a body of men whose superiors in intellect, physique, or efficiency cannot be found anywhere. I hope our relations will always continue cordial; and when you deem me bearing down on you too sternly, reflect upon the responsibility of my position, and remember that all complaints of citizens, which never reach you, come quickly to me. I had intended, when hearing of the proposed presentation, to provide refreshment, but was advised that they had already been furnished by you. Thanking you once more, I shall temporarily relax one rule, and allow you to drink in uniform. (Laughter and applause.)

On a large table in the centre of the room were champagne and liquor in abundance, of which all spiritiously inclined, partook. Another hour was spent in the usual way, during which a number of gentlemen delivered brief addresses in response to calls.

The horse and buggy were purchased from the popular livery stable keeper, Jo. Seligman, the former being the splendid horse "Prince," so much admired. The buggy is of Memphis manufacture, made by a young mechanic named Davenport, and is a fine specimen of work. We are not surprised that Colonel Beaumont should feel proud of the gift and the motive prompting it. A basket of the wine drank on the occasion was generously donated by Harry Weatherbee.

Only trunk factory in the city at 352 Main street.

COST! COST!! COST!!!—The large and splendid stock of boots, shoes and hats—one of the finest in the South—to be closed out at less than Eastern cost, for cash, at J. T. Handlan & Co.'s, No. 279 Main street. 1m.

Petro Oil should not be used with the old fashioned coal oil burner. Use the comet burner.

2w ROSENBAUM & Co.

"MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING."

Judge Leonard's Frantic Efforts to Send Captain Lewis Bond to Jail.

Astonishing Results of Judicial Energy—Dogberry Laid in the Shade.

Those of our readers not disgusted have doubtless been amused by the recent campaign of the gifted Judge Leonard against Captain Lewis Bond, who refused to obey a decree requiring him to pay a debt, as administrator, before the expiration of six months from the date of his appointment. The affair betrays a legal astuteness and dignity on the part of the Judge that completely lays Dogberry's efforts in the shade.

In the first place, Captain Bond was ordered to jail without trial. The Sheriff refused to make the arrest, because of informality of the order. Leonard again seized pen and paper, opened his collar, and furiously wrote a summons to the contumatious Attorney to appear and show cause why he should not be flung into the donjon keep. This, like fulmination No. 1, proved to be bosh, and received no attention.

The Judge tried his hand again Friday evening with the following result:

STATE OF TENNESSEE, COUNTY OF SHELBY.

COUNTY COURT, MARCH TERM, 1868.

State of Tennessee vs. Lewis Bond—Attachment for Contempt.

To the Sheriff of Shelby County:

You are hereby commanded to take the body of Lewis Bond, who has this, thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1868, been found guilty of a contempt of this Court in wilfully refusing to comply with an order of said court made and issued at the February term thereof, directing and authorizing him, the said Lewis Bond, to pay over certain moneys now in his hands, belonging to the estate of U. J. Brooks, deceased; and the court being of the opinion and belief that the said defendant, with willful intent and purpose, defies this court by persistently refusing to comply with the aforesaid order, and being satisfied that it is the willful intention of said defendant to hold in contempt the orders, precepts and processes of this Court, it therefore now convicts the said defendant, Lewis Bond, for a contempt in refusing to comply with the aforesaid order, made at the February term of said Court, and now decrees and adjudges that the said defendant be fined in the sum of ten dollars, and be committed to the county jail till the fine and costs are paid, and until the said defendant complies with the order of this Court made and issued at the February term aforesaid; and the Sheriff or jailor of the said county of Shelby is hereby commanded to speedily and properly carry out the judgment of the Court, and safely keep and confine the said Lewis Bond in the county jail until the judgment of this Court is complied with.

THOMES LEONARD, Judge.

No mittimus being attached, the Sheriff continued to maintain a position of masterly inactivity.

But the irrepressible Leonard again became absorbed in composition. A few flourishes yesterday settled the business:

STATE OF TENNESSEE, SHELBY COUNTY.

To the Sheriff of said county, greeting:

In pursuance of an order made by the Honorable Judge of the County Court of Shelby county, and entered of record on the 13th day of March, A. D. 1868,

You are hereby commanded to seize the body of Lewis Bond, and have him safely kept in the county jail of Shelby county until he shall have paid the sum of ten dollars fine and costs, and complied with the order of this honorable County Court made against him on the 13th day of March, A. D. 1868, at which time he, the said Lewis Bond, was convicted and found guilty by this County Court of Shelby county, and adjudged to pay the aforesaid fine of ten dollars and costs, and be committed to the county jail until he should satisfy the judgment of said court.

Herein fail not, and make due return instanter of how you have executed this writ.

This was handed to the Sheriff, who had not overhauled Captain Bond at last accounts. Should the document prove as able to hold water as a ladder, Captain Bond may prepare to bid adieu to sunshine and bracing breezes to-morrow. But we learn that, like its predecessor, it is worthless.

For four days this ponderous bumfoosiler has labored with the energy of a million beavers to frame some document worth the paper it was written on. Thus far, his failure has been as signal as his previous efforts to convince an appreciating public that colossal assininity and Judge Leonard are not synonymous terms.

THE COURTS.

UNITED STATES COURT.—*Connelly F. Trigg, Judge.*—The jury in the case of the United States vs. Williams, (indictment for pretending to act as Revenue officer without authority,) found the defendant guilty as charged, and a motion for a new trial was entered.

A general order was made by the Court to open all depositions during the present term.

The following Grand Jurymen were excused from further service: C. M. Williams, John H. Bills and Leonard Owen.

In the case of Mohrstadt vs. Saunders an order was made on the complainant to pay into court, within twenty days, the amount of the original assessment.

The Grand Jury has been quite busy during the term, a large number of indictments having been found.

The following petitions in bankruptcy have been filed since the last report:

W H Street.
J P Drumgoole, Shelby county.
E T Trotter, Tip on county.
A G Moore, Shelby county.
W H Fisher, Decatur county.
Absalom D Hunt, Madison county.

MUNICIPAL COURT—*George W. Waldran, Judge.* Monday next will be motion day. The application for discharge under writ of *habeas corpus* in the case of the State vs. M. C. Gallaway and J. M. Campbell will be heard at nine o'clock a.m., it being specially set for hearing at that hour.

CRIMINAL COURT—*William Hunter, Judge.*—Stands adjourned until Monday next.

LAW COURT—*James O. Pierce, Judge, etc.*—The usual number of motions were heard on yesterday.

On Monday next the cases set for trial on Friday last will be called up at the point where the call was left off; also the following cases will come up for trial:

330 Cameron vs Ware.
331 Bero & Co vs Walker.
332 Goodell vs Owell.
333 Allen vs Bloom.
334 Shell vs Winters.
335 Winters vs Winters.
336 Campbell et al vs Vallintine.

CHANCERY COURT—*Wm. M. Smith, Chancellor, etc.* The cases set for hearing on Monday are as follows:

Keel vs Keel; set specially.
726 Joyce vs Odell.
727 Peplow vs Sides
733 Parrish vs Merriweather
736 Jefferson vs Terry
742 Yerger vs Aiken.
743 Wright vs Baird
744 Aldridge vs Pope.
745 Lambert vs Pope.
746 Brown vs Galloway.
747 Hilliard vs same.
748 Harris vs Betts.
751 Wall vs Roberts.
752 Collier vs Collier.
753 Greenlaw vs Holmes.
754 Torian vs Hallum.
755 Grigbey vs Street.
756 George vs Wood.
757 Johnston vs Lucado.
758 Wright vs Craig.
759 McKnight vs Dill.
760 Meacham vs Mosby
761 Beasley vs Jackson.
762 Wickersham vs Blythe.
763 Deloach vs Dean.
764 Battle vs Brown.
766 Treadwell vs McKeon.
768 Tracy vs Pope.
769 Stettheimer vs Sameison.
770 Hardy vs Nelson.
771 Murdock vs M and A of M.
772 Edgington vs Giles.
773 Jones vs Ogden.
774 Van Bill vs same.
775 Abercrombie vs Abercrombie.
776 Hallum vs Carter.
777 Lowenstine vs Campbell.
778 Coblens vs same.
779 Perry vs Williams.
780 Pittman vs Mulford.
781 Leonard vs same.
782 Tagg vs Looney.
783 Rogers vs Breen.
784 Connelly vs Haynie,
785 Lehman vs Brown.
786 Chrisp vs Barry.
787 Nolen vs Goldsmith.
788 Armour vs Winn.
790 Bingham vs Hallman.
792 Forsyth vs Williford
793 Mills vs Bowman.
794 Overton vs Hollenshade.
795 Achison vs Ward
796 Markham vs Hollenshade.
797 Green vs Ward.
798 Russell vs Hollenshade.
799 Coward vs Ford.
800 Barry vs Gibson.

The Clerk and Master will take an account on Monday next in the case of Tomeney vs. Eaton et al.

The divorce case of Keel vs Keel was transferred to the jury yesterday. A verdict will be rendered on Monday.

Valises at the factory, 352 Main street.

FOR SALE.—Fifty bushels of seed sweet potatoes. Apply to W. J. Chase & Co., No. 42 Poplar street. 3t

OUR DECISION ON SEWING MACHINES.—Being thoroughly conversant with all the leading sewing machines, we hesitate not in recommending the Wheeler & Wilson improved lock-stitch machine to all wishing a reliable family machine, as being far superior to all other machines, for durability, ease of opperating, neatness of work, and the great variety of work they are capable of doing. Call and see them at the sale room of A. Sumner & Co., 256 Second street.

The sweetest mouth in the world, if the ladies will pardon us for saying so, is the mouth of a bottle of Phalon's new perfume, "FLOR DE MAYO," from which the stopper has been removed. As the gentle sex perfume their dress, their hair and their handkerchiefs, with this delicious extract, they may be said, in fact, to breate it. Sold by all druggists.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

A cough, a cold or a sore throat requires immediate attention and should be checked. If allowed to continue, irritation of the lungs, a permanent throat disease or consumption is often the result. Brown's Bronchial Troches, having a direct influence to the parts, give immediate relief. For bronchitis, asthma, catarrh, consumptive and throat diseases, Troches are used with always good success. Singers and public speakers use them to clear and strengthen the voice. Obtain only "Brown's Bronchial Troches," and do not take any of the worthless imitations that may be offered. Sold everywhere. eod4m

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething, greatly facilitates the process of teething, by softening the gums, reducing all inflammation; will allay all pain and spasmodic action, and is sure to regulate the bowels. Depend upon it, mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and relief and health to your infants. We have put up and sold this article for years, and can say in confidence and truth of it what we have never been able to say of any other medicine—never has it failed in a single instance to affect a cure, when timely used. Never did we know an instance of dissatisfaction by any one who used it. On the contrary, all are delighted with its operation, and speak in terms of commendation of its medical effects and medical virtues. We speak in this matter "what we know," after years of experience, and pledge our reputation for the fulfillment of what we here declare. In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain and exhaustion, relief will be found in fifteen or twenty minutes after the syrup is administered. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. Be sure and call for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," having the fac-simile of "Curtis & Perkins" on the outside wrapper. All others are base imitations. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Price only thirty-five cents per bottle. Offices—215 Fulton street, New York; 205 High Holborn, London England; 341 St. Paul street, Montreal, Canada.

RIVER NEWS.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SUNDAY, March 15.

We request the officers of steamboats to recognize no one as an attaches of the AVALANCHE without the proper letters stamped at the office.

EDITORS.

BUSINESS—WEATHER—RIVERS.

Weather warm and cloudy. The river is gradually coming up, and has risen ten feet altogether. The upper Mississippi is rising also. All the upper streams have a good stage of water out to Cairo. The Ohio is falling at Pittsburg, but rising from Cincinnati down to Cairo, with seven feet on the falls and nine and a half feet in the canal. The Arkansas is bank full and rising slowly at Little Rock. White river is at high tide and still rising.

ARRIVALS.

Steamer W. R. Arthur, New Orleans.
" City of Cairo, St. Louis.
" Victor No. 2, Hale's Point.
" Rubicon, St. Louis.

DEPARTURES.

Steamer W. R. Arthur, St. Louis.
" City of Cairo, St. Louis.
" Darling, Cincinnati.
" Liberty No. 2, White river.
" Victor No. 2, Hale's Point.
" Rubicon, Vicksburg.

IN PORT.

Gleaner, Centralia.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Notice to Steamboat Clerks.

We would call the attention of steamboat clerks and others to the fact that, connected with the Memphis AVALANCHE is the largest book and job printing establishment in this city, and that we are prepared to execute orders for every description of steamboat printing and binding at rates as low as any establishment in the city.

A full supply of steamboat books kept constantly on hand

The levee presented a dull appearance yesterday, with little movement in freights. Levee rats, who are the intelligent Radical voters of Tennessee, monopolized the wharf. They were grouped along the levee, sunning themselves and partaking of the innocent amusement so noted amongst the species known as monkeys.

The Darling backed out at five p.m. for Cincinnati, with a splendid trip of passengers and freight.

The Liberty No. 2, for White river, had a good trip.

The W. R. Arthur passed up, for St. Louis, at three p.m.

The Des Arc, Captain John Elliott, is the regular Tuesday mail packet for Vicksburg and the bends. She will be in port Monday morning to receive.

Captain Nat Green and Cook Creighton leave for St. Louis to-day to take charge of the fine steamer Mollie Able. The former takes command, and the latter will assume control of the office. A better selection could not have been made. Both are gentlemen of high standing, and are well and favorably known from St. Louis to the Balize. Captain Green is an experienced and competent commander, and will be ably seconded by Mr. Cook Creighton, who is an affable gentleman and a good clerk. Under the control of these gentlemen, the Mollie Able will prosper, make money, and become a favorite with the traveling and shipping public.

The Commercial is the regular Tuesday White river mail packet. She will be found in port Monday morning.

The Centralia, Captain Wm. Nowlen, leaves the wharf on Monday, for Little Rock and way points on the Arkansas. Mr. Ed. Outlaw is her chief clerk.

The superb passenger steamer John Kilgour, Captain John Benson, will leave the wharf to-day at five p.m., for New Orleans. Mr. Bailey, a clever gentleman, presides in the office.

The Belle Lee will leave the wharf to-morrow at five p.m., for New Orleans. Mr. Constantine Miller, the veteran river editor of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, is a passenger on her, accompanied by his family, on a pleasant trip South.

The Belle Memphis leaves the wharf on Monday, for St. Louis.

The Mollie Hambleton is the Tuesday packet for St. Francis river.

The Virginia is up for Cincinnati Monday, at five p.m.

The Olive Branch is due from New Orleans.

The Rubicon passed down last night for Vicksburg, with a good trip.

The heavy rains have done great damage in Indiana, and it is still raining. On the St. Joe river Pinbook city is washed away.

The Indiana will be due on Monday, bound for New Orleans.

BIG LAW SUIT.—The suit of Latimer vs. City of Columbus, for the recovery of damages for the seizure and confiscation of the steamer B. P. Cheeney during the war, will be called in the United States District Court, in Paducah, next Monday. If we are not mistaken Mr. Latimer's brother-in-law sold the above steamer to the Confederate government and received pay for the same. A long-shanked cuss known as Slater delivered over the boat at Columbus, Ky., and received the money for her in this city. After the fall of Columbus he endeavored to force the Federal government to pay him for the boat.

The Cora S. will be due on Monday from Louisville.

The fine steamer Rubicon will leave the wharf this morning at 9 a.m. for Vicksburg. Captain Blake commands, with Alf. Grisham in charge of the office.

MONETARY.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SUNDDAY March 15, 1868.

Monetary affairs remain unchanged, with little doing in financial circles. The discount market is working close. Exchange is firm, buying at ½ off, and selling on the East at par; on New Orleans at ¼c. premium. It is intimated that a prominent speculator, who recently filed a petition in bankruptcy, reported among his liabilities $30,000 due one Memphis bank, and $300,000 due another. One of the banks sometime since, went by the board.

GOLD—In New York opened at 139⅛, and closed at 139¾. The market here was inactive, buying at 139 and selling at 139½@140.

SILVER—Remains steady, buying at 127@128 and selling at 138@139.

CITY SCRIP—Is steady, with holders holding firm at 66@68c. Dealers are buying at 65c., and selling at 66@67c.

COUNTY WARRANTS—In fair demand, buying at 49@50c., and selling at 52c.

POLICE SCRIP—Steady; buying at 82@83c. and selling at 86@87c.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SUNDAY, March 15, 1868.

Business in the general market yesterday was steady, with a fair trade doing in provisions and breadstuffs. The market is well supplied, with prices nominal. Corn is dull and lower, with fair receipts. Meats are weak and lower, with a fair jobbing demand. Groceries are firm and steady.

Cotton.

The market opened firm with a fair inquiry. Holders were firm in their views, and asked full prices, while buyers seemed unwilling to operate. Under the influence of the firmness and activity in the Liverpool and New York markets holders advanced their rates ¼ per cent. Sales for the day foot up 500 bales: middling, 24c; strict middling, 24½c; low middling, 23¾c; good ordinary, 22½c. The market closed firm and buoyant. The Liverpool market closed firm and active; uplands, 10¼d; Orleans, 10½d; to arrive, 10¼d. Sales for the day 20,000 bales. The New York market closed firm, with prices tending upward. Holders were holding off the market, on account of the light receipts; low middling, 24c; middling, 25c; Orleans, 25½c. Week's receipts, 28,020 bales. Sales for the week, 30,000 bales; to exporters, 12,000 bales; stock, 50,000 bales. Receipts at all United States ports, 66,000 bales.

Ordinary	21 @22
Good Ordinary	[illegible]
Low Middling	[illegible]
Middling	[illegible]
Strict Middling	[illegible]
Good Middling	[illegible]

Cotton Statement.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
MEMPHIS, March 14, 1868.

Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1867		1,080
Received to-day	640	
Received previously	231,051	231,691
		232,771
Exported to day	4,073	
Exported previously	[illegible]	227,630
Stock on hand and at presses		5,141
Received this week		5,114
Exports this week		8,222

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, March 14.

Cotton very firm and more active, sales 4,000 bales; uplands, 25c. Rice and coffee firm. Sugar buoyant; Cuba, 11@11¾c. Molasses firm. Flour dull and 10@15c. lower. Corn quiet, but steady, $1 25@1 27.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, March 14.

Money easy at 7 per cent. far call loans. Discount quiet. The weekly bank statement shows a heavy decrease in loans, deposits and legal tenders. Sterling very dull, 9⅛@9¼. Gold, 39⅛@39¼. New Tennessee's, 64⅛.

NEW YORK DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, March 14.

Dry goods less active but steady. There is a moderate demand for brown jeans, at 16c. Columbian brown duck, 30c. Prints steady, 14@15c. for standard makes.

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, March 14.

Tobacco firm and unchanged. Flour scarce; superfine, $7 50@8 50. Wheat dull and heavy, at $2 60@2 70. Corn, 78@90c. Oats, 68@72c. Rye, $1 65@1 70. Pork, $23 75@24 00. Bacon dull; rib sides, 14@14½c; shoulders, bulk, 11c. Lard very dull, 14½c.

LOUISVILLE MARKET.

LOUISVILLE, March 14.

Tobacco lower on lugs and medium leaf. Sales 107 hhds; $5 00@15 00 for lugs to fair, $21 00@25 00 for cutting. Cotton steady, 23@23½c. for middlings. Superfine flour, $8 50@8 75; fancy, $12 50@13 00. Wheat, $2 55@2 60. Oats, 70c. in bulk. Corn, 75@78c. for ear and shelled in bulk. Lard, 15½c. Mess pork, $24 00. Bacon; shoulders, 11½c; clear sides, 14¾c. Bulk meats; shoulders, 10¼; clear sides, 13½c.

CINCINNATI MARKET.

CINCINNATI, March 14.

Flour and grain unchanged and quiet. Tobacco, full prices. Pork dull, $23 50. Bacon dull, nominal. Bulk meats; sides, 12c., held at 12¼c. Lard, 15c. Butter and cheese unchanged.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

NEW ORLEANS, March 14.

Cotton active; middlings, 23¾@24c. Sales 10,000 bales. Receipts, 1,309 bales. Exports, 3,666 bales. Sterling, 51@53½. New York sight, ⅛@¼ premium. Gold, 40. Sugar and molasses quiet and unchanged. Flour quiet and firm; superfine, $10 00@10 25; XXX, $11 00@11 25; choice, $13 75@$15 00. Corn quiet and firm, 97½c. Oats dull and unchanged. Bacon dull; shoulders, 11c; clear sides, 15c. Lard dull nominal; tierce, 15¾c.

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Chancery Sale of Real Estate,

On Monday, April 13, 1868.

No. 1663—N. R. D.—John Overton vs. R. H. Smith, Administrator, et al.

BY virtue of an interlocutory decree in this cause, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Court House door in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on Monday, April 13, 1868, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 12 m. the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot No. 12, in Overton addition to the city of Memphis, fronting northwardly on Webster street (130) one hundred and twenty feet, and running back between parallel lines (130) one hundred and seventy feet to an alley. Terms of sale, cash. Equity of redemption barred.

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THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

LATEST NEWS FROM THE SCENE OF WAR.

The Whisky Rebellion Quelled.

From the Knoxville Press and Herald, 16th.]

The detachment of cavalry which left this city on Friday evening last, to arrest the ringleaders of the whisky rebellion, in Claiborne county, returned to the city yesterday. They had quite a tedious trip and a hard campaign, for a short one. Upon entering the mountains, they secured two guides, (white men,) who, learning their errand, and sympathizing with the illicit distillers, played them false and led them astray, and they would have been in a serious predicament had not the irrepressible contraband appeared upon the scene, and guided the officers of the law to the scene of action.

They arrived at the distillery of Mr. Blackston Williams, the ringleader of the late rebellion, and the man who levelled a revolver at the Deputy Marshal, at three a.m. on Sunday, and found him in the still house. They arrested him, and destroyed the stills and captured three barrels of wines. Pursuit was made for two others implicated in resistance to the Revenue officers, but in vain, as they had received timely notice of the arrival of the soldiers. The rations of the soldiers giving out, they were compelled to return to this city, bringing Mr. Williams with them.

The people of the county nearly all sympathized with the distillers, and any amount of bonds were offered for Mr. Williams' release. Mr. Williams was kept last night at the house of Deputy Marshal Lusk, under a guard of soldiers, and the examination will take place before Commissioner Hall this morning at nine o'clock.

Memphis, Springfield and Fort Scott Railroad

The following proceedings will be of special interest to the business men of Memphis:

A meeting was held at the office of Judge John S. Waddill, in Springfield, Missouri, on Saturday, February 29th, 1868, in pursuance of a call to organize the Memphis, Springfield and Fort Scott railroad.

The meeting was called to order by J. F. Hardin, Esquire, and on his motion, Judge John S. Waddill was appointed Chairman, and C. H. Brown, Esquire, of Lamar, Secretary.

On motion of J. M. Doling, the following named gentlemen were appointed to draft resolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting, viz: M. Doling, A. C. Wallace, R. J. McElhany, J. F. Hardin, Charles Van Pelt, Nelson B. McDowell, J. T. Keet, James Abbott and Thomas Ashley.

The committee then reported the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That it is of vital interest to the Southwest to have her territory opened up to the markets of the world at the earliest practicable moment.

Resolved, That we are in favor of so arranging our railroad system that we shall not be bound to contribute to any given point, but that we may have our choice at all times between Memphis, Chicago and St. Louis, and for that purpose we pledge ourselves to use our best energies to complete the projected road as soon as possible.

Resolved, That as citizens we will give liberally of our private means to the enterprise, and will use our influence to induce our respective towns and counties to subscribe in aid of said road.

Resolved, That we recommend that immediate steps be taken to confer with Memphis parties on this subject, and for that purpose we earnestly invite all persons who feel an interest, to address Judge John S. Waddill, of Springfield, Missouri, on the subject of the Memphis, Springfield and Fort Scott railroad.

Resolved, That when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet at the Court House, in the town of Lamar, Barton county, Missouri, on the 15th day of April, 1868, and that all persons be cordially invited to attend and participate.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this meeting furnish the papers of this city with copies of the proceedings of this meeting; and that they and the Greenfield, Lamar, Fort Scott and Memphis papers be requested to publish the same, and that the Chairman of this meeting transmit a copy of the proceedings of this meeting to the Mayor of the City of Memphis.

The meeting then adjourned as above.

JOHN S. WADDILL, Chairman.
CHARLES H. BROWN, Secretary.

The Committee on Retrenchment reported that there was no truth in Mr. Logan's charge that $18,000,000 of fraudulent bonds were in circulation.

General Dix is in London.

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Lease of Central Park.

OFFICE CITY ENGINEER, Memphis, March 4, 1868.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 m. on Friday, March 6, 1868, for the Lease of Central Park for a period of three years, commencing on the 1st day of April next, for the improvement of the Park, consisting of

J. E. HUMPHREYS, City Engineer.
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Dissolution.

THE business heretofore existing under the name and style of SUPPLEE & BEATMAN, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said firm will please call and settle their accounts, and those having claims against said firm will present them for payment. Either partner is authorized to receipt for the same.

The business will hereafter be conducted at the old stand No 11 Monroe street, by

WM. E. BEATMAN.
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Board of Health.

BE it ordained, etc., That the Ordinance creating a Board of Health, approved March 6, 1867, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Approved March 6, 1868.

JOHN W. LEFTWICH, Mayor.

Attest—S. B. RAMSARO, City Register.
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THIS well known and popular Hotel has been refitted and newly furnished throughout, and will open

On Thursday, March 5th, 1868,

For the reception of guests. The table will be supplied with the best the market can afford. The caterer, Maj. WM. J. REYNOLDS, the well and favorably known steward, formerly of this city, and more recently of the Exchange Hotel, Richmond, Va., will be on hand, with a corps of attentive waiters, to supply the inner man. We pledge ourselves to make our guests comfortable and at home, and have the Old Commercial again redeem its character as one of the best Hotels in the city.

Schedule of Prices:

Day Board—per month	$30 00
Board and Lodging—per week	12 00
Transient Guests—per day	2 00

Captain B. D. GANTLEMAN will be found in the Office at all times.

ALLEN BROTHERS, mh6 Managers.

CENTRAL HOTEL, No. 63 Adams Street, Memphis, Tennessee.

THIS HOUSE, formerly known as the "Hardwick," has changed proprietors, and is now opened to the traveling public in neat and perfect order. The fare is as good as well prepared as can be found in the city; the bedrooms comfortable. Location most desirable, being about the center of the city. Our prices have been reduced to the following rates:

Board, per day	$2 50
Board and Lodging, per week	12 00
Board and Lodging per month	45 00
Day Board, per week	9 00
Day Board, per month	30 00

Polite and attentive waiters in attendance, both day and night.

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PROPRIETORS:

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☞ Board Reduced to Three Dollars per day

☞ Telegraph and Railroad Ticket Offices in Hotel Rotunda.
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THE undersigned, respectfully informs his friends and the traveling public, that he has taken charge of the above well known FIRST-CLASS HOTEL, and refurnished and refitted it, in all its departments.

The celebrated ARTESIAN WATER BATHS, Hot, Cold and Shower, at all hours.

Coaches run to and from all Railroads and Steamers with attentive Porters. The patronage of the traveling public is respectfully solicited.

ja28 J. P. HORBACH, Agent, Proprietor.

Copartnership.

THE undersigned having, on the 20th instant, purchased from Colonel L. A. Walsh the lease, furniture, fixtures, etc., of the Spencer Hotel, have formed a copartnership under the firm name of Brown & Sweeny, for the purpose of conducting the business of said House, respectfully ask the patronage of the public

H. H. BROWN,
MERIT SWEENY.
Cincinnati, February 27, 1868. mh1

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KEEP on hand all the delicacies as well as the substantials of the season which are served up for customers in a style by first-class cooks, and at rates to suit those that call.
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Ever seen in this city. For sale wholesale and retail by

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370 Second street, corner of Gayoso.
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Market Hours.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL
MEMPHIS, TENN., March 16, 1868.

FROM and after the 16th instant the Markets will be opened in the morning, the hours being from four to eight o'clock a.m., Saturday evening markets to be held, commencing at three o'clock.

JOHN W. LEFTWICH, Mayor.
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LEGAL.

Attachment Suit.

Municipal Court of the City of Memphis—Clerk's Office March 3, 1868. Cary Ashmead Mary Ames, Plaintiffs, vs. Ralph Chambers, Defendants.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 2455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, levied "etc., on the property of the defendant Ralph Chambers, this is therefore to notify the said defendant to appear at the Municipal Court Room in the city of Memphis, on or before the first Tuesday in April next, and replevy said property, or the same will be taken for confessed and a judgment rendered against him, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy,
S. D. THOMPSON, D. C.
MAYERS, STOCKTON & HAWE, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.
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No. 1852—N. B. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Robert W. Scruggs, Administrator of Martha Scruggs, deceased, vs. Henry P. Scruggs et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendants Henry P. Scruggs and wife Letitia R. (formerly Letitia R. Scruggs) William A. Scruggs, Penelope Scruggs, John T. Scruggs, (the last three minors) and Judge of Both Scruggs, deceased, and Maria Scruggs, deceased, and Frank Hayley and wife Maria L. (formerly Maria L. Scruggs, deceased,) and Edward Bridges and wife Mary A. (formerly Mary A. Woodson, deceased,) all residents of the State of Texas, and Mary E. and wife Maria L. (formerly Maria L. Ford,) the said Mary E. and Maria L. being children of Amanda M. Ford, deceased, who was the daughter of said Maria Scruggs, deceased, and Lewis Brown and wife Margaret R. (formerly Margaret R. Scruggs,) Sidney Keys, Bettie Keys and James Keys, (the last four minors,) children of Mary F. Keys, deceased, who was a daughter of said Maria Scruggs, deceased; and Frank Hayley (deceased) and Maria Scruggs, deceased; and Frank Hayley (deceased) and Laura Hayley (formerly Laura Ford,) Thomas and wife Fannie Thompson, (formerly Fannie Ford,) Chester Slater and wife Maria Slater, (formerly Maria Ford,) Chester Ford, Sarah F. Ford, (last a minor,) children of Lisbon B. Ford, who was a daughter of said Maria Scruggs, deceased, all then residents of Arkansas; and all of said Defendants non-residents of the State of Tennessee: it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest.
AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.
FINLAY & KELLAR, Solicitors for Complainant. mh4

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust to me executed and delivered on the 8th day of January, 1868, by A. B. Windle, agent of R. Piper, and duly recorded in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book 46, pages 32 and 33, to secure the payment of certain promissory notes therein described, I will,

On the 16th day of March, 1868,

On the premises on Jefferson street, opposite the New Memphis Theater, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, between the hours of ten a.m. and 12 m., sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property, to-wit: 23 oak and 4 walnut tables, 3 dozen wines and 25 dozen split bottom chairs, 1 ice box, 1 desk, 1 bar and bar fixtures, keno fixtures, looking glasses, pictures, license, 1 cannon stove, sundries, etc. Terms of sale cash.

I. T. GARTHWRIGHT, Trustee.
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Administrator's Settlement in County Court o Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Jonathan Faulks, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of said Jonathan Faulks, deceased, with the Clerk of said County, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the April term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Courthouse in the city of Memphis.

JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk. W. A. O'FERRAN, Administrator.
By BERNARD COLL, D. C.
Printer's fee $7 84. f 1t28

No. 2546—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant T. C. Barnett is a resident of the State of Mississippi and a non-resident of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
LOGWOOD & PEYTON, Sols. for Complainant. feb28

County Court Sale of Land.

Charles S. Slater vs. Robert Slater et al., minor heirs at law of said Slater, deceased, and T. P. Slater, their guardian. Petition for Sale of Land for Division.

BY virtue of an order of the County Court of Shelby County, Tennessee, in the above entitled cause at the February term, 1868, I am directed to sell before the court house door, in the city of Memphis, to the highest and best bidder, on

Saturday, March 28, 1868,

Between the hours of ten o'clock a.m. and four p.m., the following described tract of land, lying in Shelby county, Tennessee, in the First Civil District, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone [? illegible] west of a hickory marked as corner, thence west 34 chains to Lamb Herald's northwest corner of his 108 acre tract; thence west 34 chains to a stake in the south line of the said Herald's 108 acre tract; thence south 40 links to a stake in the south end of an old road; thence south 2 chains 14 links to a stake in the field; thence south 2 chains 86 links to a stake with pen oak and dogwood pointers; thence east 17 chains 2 links to a stake in said Herald's west boundary line; thence north with said line to the beginning; containing fifty acres, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE—One-half (½) cash; on the balance a credit until the 1st day of January, 1869—the deferred payment to be secured by note with two good personal security, which shall be a lien on the land until the whole amount is paid.

JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk.
By BERNARD COLL, D. C.
FINLAY & KELLAR, Solicitors. feb27

No. 2552—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Wade H. Bolton vs. J. M. Cash, Administrator, et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in the cause, that the defendant Seth W. Bolton is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and a resident of the State of Arkansas, and the defendants Wm. Clark and Lucesta Clark his wife, Norman Reynolds and Mary his wife, W. C. Basile and Cecelia B. his wife, D. W. M. Taylor and Leodicia his wife, John W. Clark, Columbus Turner and Nancy B. his wife, John W. Clark, Jr., Archibald V. Clark, Eleanor Clark, F. M. Pinkham and Archibald V. Graham are residents of the State of Texas and non-residents of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
BERCHER & BELCHER, Sols. for Complainant. feb21

Notice to Creditors.

No. 231—Chancery Court of Memphis—John C. Lanier vs the Gayoso Savings Institution et al.

IT is ordered by the Court in this cause, that the creditors of the Gayoso Savings Institution do immediately come in and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper proof of the same, that they may receive their pro rata share of the assets of said Bank for distribution among the creditors; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Appeal, Avalanche and Public, until the further order of this Court.

AUGUSTON ALSTON,
A copy—Attest. Clerk and Master.
By BENJ. COLMAN, Deputy C. & M. mh7

Administrator's Notice.

HAVING been qualified as administrator, with will annexed, of Jane Blair, deceased, all parties having claims against said estate are notified to file the same with me or with my attorney, F. A. Owsley, properly authenticated, at once, and all parties indebted to the estate are notified to settle the same without delay.

W. L. BELL, Administrator.
OWSLEY & DUVAL, Attorneys. mh7

Attachment Suit.

Harrison Jones vs. Jefferson Hankin.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this cause in pursuance of section 2455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, levied, etc., on the property of the defendant; this is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the fourth day of April, 1868, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken as confessed and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

S. A. MOORE, J. P.
Printer's fee $5, paid. mh7

No. 2553—N. B. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—John Newson vs. A. K. Taylor et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant Dr. M. Baker is a resident of the State of Maryland and a non-resident of the State of Tennessee; that the legal representatives of J. B. Coulson, deceased, are unknown, and can not be ascertained, and from the subpœna issued in this cause, and the return of the Sheriff of Shelby county, Tenn., that J. W. Taylor cannot be found in said county; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken as confessed and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
BERCHER & BELCHER, Sols. for Complainant. feb 19

Insolvent Notice.

In the County Court of Shelby County, Tennessee—In re, est

HAVING suspected the insolvency of the estate of my late husband, Victor Estaille, deceased, to the Clerk of said Court, and notified creditors to this effect, intend that no persons having claims against said estate to appear before the County Court Clerk and file the same with proper vouchers prescribed by law, on or before the 17th day of August, 1868; and any claim not filed on or before said day, or to the appropriation of the funds of said estate by said, shall be forever barred, both in law and equity.

ELIZA ESTAILLE, Administratrix.
BERCHER & BELCHER, Attorneys. feb28

No. 2561—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Wm. Orgill, Edmund Orgill, G. L. Penion and A. S. McNear, firm of Orgill Brothers & Co., vs L. P. Beech, late firm of Beech & Dass, et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in a cause that the defendants Beech & Dass are non-residents of the State of Tennessee.

It is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainants' bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
GANTT, WADDELL & McDOWELL, Sols. for Complainants. mh4

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In the County Court of Shelby County, Tennessee—In re, est

HAVING suspected the insolvency of the estate of my late husband, Victor Estaille, deceased, to the Clerk of said Court, and notified creditors to this effect, intend that no persons having claims against said estate to appear before the County Court Clerk and file the same with proper vouchers prescribed by law, on or before the 17th day of August, 1868; and any claim not filed on or before said day, or to the appropriation of the funds of said estate by said, shall be forever barred, both in law and equity.

ELIZA ESTAILLE, Administratrix.
BERCHER & BELCHER, Attorneys. feb28

No. 2563—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant E. M. Avery has absconded, and is not a resident of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered that he make his appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, on the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
I. T. PEYTON, Sol. for Complainant. feb28

Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of the Heirs of Burch Slater, deceased,

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of said Burch Slater, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the April term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

T. P. SLATER, Guardian.
JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk.
By BERNARD COLL, D. C.
Printer's fee $6 84. feb24

No. 2572—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—G. C. Gantt vs. John Newson et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendants Henry R. Dongan, Mary Dongan, Thomas Dongan and Mary E. Dongan, are residents of the State of Mississippi and non-residents of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
LOGWOOD & PEYTON, Sols. for Complainants. mh7

No. 2513—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—G. C. Gantt vs. John Newson et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendants Henry R. Dongan, Mary Dongan, Thomas Dongan and Mary E. Dongan, are residents of the State of Mississippi and non-residents of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
LOGWOOD & PEYTON, Sols. for Complainants. mh7

No. 2561—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Wm. Orgill, Edmund Orgill, G. L. Penion and A. S. McNear, firm of Orgill Brothers & Co., vs L. P. Beech, late firm of Beech & Dass, et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in a cause that the defendants Beech & Dass are non-residents of the State of Tennessee.

It is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainants' bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
GANTT, WADDELL & McDOWELL, Sols. for Complainants. mh4

Insolvent Notice.

In the County Court of Shelby County, Tennessee—In re, est

HAVING suspected the insolvency of the estate of my late husband, Victor Estaille, deceased, to the Clerk of said Court, and notified creditors to this effect, intend that no persons having claims against said estate to appear before the County Court Clerk and file the same with proper vouchers prescribed by law, on or before the 17th day of August, 1868; and any claim not filed on or before said day, or to the appropriation of the funds of said estate by said, shall be forever barred, both in law and equity.

ELIZA ESTAILLE, Administratrix.
BERCHER & BELCHER, Attorneys. feb28

No. 2568—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant E. M. Avery has absconded, and is not a resident of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered that he make his appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, on the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
I. T. PEYTON, Sol. for Complainant. feb28

Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of the Heirs of Burch Slater, deceased,

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of said Burch Slater, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the April term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

T. P. SLATER, Guardian.
JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk.
By BERNARD COLL, D. C.
Printer's fee $6 84. feb24

No. 2513—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—G. C. Gantt vs. John Newson et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendants Henry R. Dongan, Mary Dongan, Thomas Dongan and Mary E. Dongan, are residents of the State of Mississippi and non-residents of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
LOGWOOD & PEYTON, Sols. for Complainants. mh7

No. 2561—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Wm. Orgill, Edmund Orgill, G. L. Penion and A. S. McNear, firm of Orgill Brothers & Co., vs L. P. Beech, late firm of Beech & Dass, et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in a cause that the defendants Beech & Dass are non-residents of the State of Tennessee.

It is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainants' bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

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Insolvent Notice.

In the County Court of Shelby County, Tennessee—In re, est

HAVING suspected the insolvency of the estate of my late husband, Victor Estaille, deceased, to the Clerk of said Court, and notified creditors to this effect, intend that no persons having claims against said estate to appear before the County Court Clerk and file the same with proper vouchers prescribed by law, on or before the 17th day of August, 1868; and any claim not filed on or before said day, or to the appropriation of the funds of said estate by said, shall be forever barred, both in law and equity.

ELIZA ESTAILLE, Administratrix.
BERCHER & BELCHER, Attorneys. feb28

No. 2568—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant E. M. Avery has absconded, and is not a resident of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered that he make his appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, on the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and set for hearing ex parte, and that